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THE CHAMPION MIXED PAINT

Sold by **L. TAGGART** has no superior.

Fourteen years ago I painted my house with these paints and am now, for the first time since, repainting it. H. L. Smith, the painter, says he never knew of a house in better condition for painting after having stood so long.

A gentleman, whose name I will not mention, living in our town, painted his house thirteen years ago, with these paints and he has engaged some paints to repaint, saying that he would have no other.

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Also paper your house with the elegant wall paper at Taggart's and be doubly happy.

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Are the delight of all well dressed people and a large majority of the well-dressed gentlemen in Emporium, have their clothes made by the old reliable tailors :-: :-: :-:

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The reason why so many wear clothes of our make, is because we have an established reputation for good fits and fair dealing.

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John Robinson's Shows.

John Robinson not only offers to his patrons the best series of circus performances, the finest and most elaborately equipped hippodrome, and the largest and most comprehensive menagerie, but has added this year to his already superlative series of exhibitions the grand Biblical spectacle of Solomon, His Temple and the Queen of Sheba, and the finest scenic, processional, terpsichorean and lyric spectacle that has ever invited public patronage.

Our citizens will soon have the opportunity of witnessing these grand exhibitions, for they are to be in this city on June 16th.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, June 8, 1903.

Editor Press:—

The President has returned to Washington, pysically none the worse for a trip that would have completely exhausted a less vigorous constitution.—he says himself that he was benefitted by it. He returns to Washington with a keeper appreciation of the needs of the great nation for whose welfare he is largely responsible, and a greater love, if that were possible, for the country which has greeted him on every side with unbounded enthusiasm. In a word, Mr. Roosevelt returns to Washington in closer touch with the great American people. That he feels this is evident from remarks he has made to several friends.

As Mr. Roosevelt again takes up the reins of government he finds no easy task before him. An appalling scandal has developed in the Postoffice Department during his absence, a scandal which he feared, even before he left Washington, but which no political considerations induced him to attempt to smother. Regardless of the fact that the country was approaching a great election, an election which would determine his own political future, he gave orders to probe the irregularites in the Postoffice to the bottom, to hew to the line with but one end in view, the purification of the service. Warm political friends urged him to permit existing conditions to remain undisturbed until after election but he refused. Theodore Roosevelt is alone responsible for the relentless investigation into Postoffice methods now being pursued and it is with bad grace that partisan papers attempt to cast reflections on an administration which has dared to uncover the sore that it might be healed.

August W. Machen, former General superintendent of free delivery, stands to-day indicted by a grand jury on nine separate accounts and evidence of other criminality sufficient to secure many more indictment is in the hands of Fourth Assistent Postmaster General Bristow and his inspectors. Thomas W. McGregor and C. Elsworth Upton, two of Machen's subordinates and intimate friends, have been arrested for stealing from the Postoffice Department $8,000, their methods having been similar to Machen's. They purchased mail bags in Baltimore, worth less than 50 cents each, and paid for them 90 cents, receiving a commission from the maker of 40 cents on each. Postmaster General Payne, who was himself reluctant to believe that there existed what he would consider actual dishonesty, that is maladministration for personal gain, has been forced to admit that the conditions which the Inspectors are daily uncovering are "appalling" and it is believed that the ramifications of Machen's dishonesty will eventually lead the inspectors into the homes of men prominent in state and federal political affairs. The grand jury is now considering the case of Groff brothers, the men who paid Machen a commission on the letter box fasteners, and their conviction is confidently expected. Smith, the man who sold the mail bags to McGregor and Upton, will be prosecuted and in every instance as earnest an effort will be made to meet out justice to the bribe givers as to the bribe takers.

An effort has been made recently to attach undue significance to the movement of the Asiatic squadron from Japan to China, near Chee Fu. The movement is explained by the Navy Department as being nothing out of the ordinary, the most plausible reason being that the naval situation there affords the most available opportunities for manoeuvres. It is further stated that the fleet always makes an annual visit to Chee Fu.

New School Board Meets.

Emporium school board met last Monday evening and organized by electing Mr. L. K. Huntington, President; Jos. Barner, Sec'y; F. P. Rentz, Treasurer. Prof. Ling was re-elected principal and Prof. Snyder, assistant. The following is a complete list of the teachers and compensation:

Prof. Ling, for three years at $1100.00 per year, an increase of $100. Prof. Snyder, $65 per month; Miss Larrabee, $50; Miss Barker, $40, and the following at $55 per month: Misses Cleary, Ritchie, Gregory, Ludium, Robinson, Bair, Metzger, Cummings, McQuay, Bryan.

Serious Accident.

The following account of a serious accident to a party of Galeton ladies and gents we clip from Galeton Dispatch. The Emporium friends will be pained to learn of Mr. Lamb's serious injuries:

A merry party composed of Messrs. W. H. Sullivan, D. H. Lamb, T. E. Baldwin, Dr. J. G. Steele, Dr. Jas. T. Hard, C. R. Williams, and their wives, left Galeton this morning about eight o'clock for a day's outing at the Camp Dent fishing grounds. The entire party were carried in a "shoe-fly" drawn by four horses, from the Edgcomb livery. The crowd was a jolly one, the day beautiful and never was there a more favorable outlook for a day of unbounded pleasure.

When the party had reached a down grade point, a little this side of the stone quarry, one of the wheels struck a projecting gas pipe and the wheel was instantly torn from the wagon, the horses breaking into a mad run. The driver, George Taylor, was thrown from the rig and T. E. Baldwin, seeing the awful danger menacing the entire party, with heroic efforts obtainrd possession of the reins and succeeded in stopping the frightened animals some little distance from where the accident occured. In the meantime every occupant of the vehicle had either jumped, been thrown or in some unknown manner reached terra firma. Mr. Lamb was found to be quite seriousiy injured, and Mrs. T. E. Baldwin, was picked up in an unconscious condition. Mrs. Jas. T. Hurd, was bruised and cut about the head and face and each member of the party was well shaken up.

The injured ones were picked up and brought to their homes in a wagon, which happened to be passing, and Mr. Lamb's condition was found to be particularly alarming, his right arm having been caught in the wheel and badly mangled besides being broken at the elbow. He was taken to Dr. Park's hospital at Buffalo on the 2:53 train, accompanied by his wife and Dr. J. G. Steele. The accident is greatly regretted by Mr. Lamb's wide circle of friends, and all hope that his injuries may not be as serious as is feared at present.

Since the above was placed in type the PRESS is informed that Mr. Lamb's right arm was so severely injured that amputation was resorted to by Dr. Park. This will be sad news to Mr. and Mrs. Lamb's Emporium friends.

Borough Improvements.

Contractor P. H. Fitzpatrick, who took the contract to excavate and cinder Fourth street from Chestnut to Broad, curb to curb, commenced his contract yesterday, having a large force of men and teams at work.

Cameron Boy Climbing.

The PRESS as well as other friends, will be pleased to learn that Prof. Elmer Burlingame, formerly principal of the Austin schools, has been elected principal of one of the ward schools of Altoona. We congratulate the young man, as well as the patrons of his school, for we know he will fill the bill and keep abreast of the times.

League Entertainment

A good sized audience was pleasantly entertained with the program of the Epworth League at the First Methodist Episcopal church last Monday evening. All the selections were creditably rendered and received with manifest appreciation. Refreshments consisting of cake and lemonade were served in the church parlor at the close. The offering was five dollars.

Wedding Bells.

Mr. George H. Gross, one of our most energetic and popular merchants, was married last Tuesday evening to Miss Celia Jacobs, of Corning, N. Y., the ceremony being performed at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Chas. Barton on Broad street, Rev. W. A. Pugsley, pastor of First Baptist church officiating. Only a sew personal friends were in attendance. After the ceremony refreshments were served. The Emporium band tendered Mr. and Mrs. Gross a serenade. Many friends extend congratulations and wish them much happiness and a long, pleasant voyage.

L. C. B. A. Banquet.

The Ladies Catholic Beneficial Association celebrated their tenth anniversary at Reading Rooms, Tuesday evening, June 2d. This organization during its existence has been very successful and prosperous and now numbers about one hundred. During its ten years death has not entered its ranks. Upon this occasion the following program, was prepared under the direction of Miss Rosa F. Bair was admirably rendered, alter which all were invited to a feast of good things.

Opening address, ... Mrs. Patrick Burke, President L. C. B. A.
Piano Solo, ... Miss Auchu
Violin Solo, ... Master Edward Baldwin
Miss Byrde Taggart, accompanist.
Song—"The First Robin of Spring."
Misses Eva Kelley, Sara Krafi, Mary Naugle, Evelyn Donovon and Masters Frank Egan and Gordon McDonough.
Piano Duet, ... Gordon and Herbert Vogt
Recitation—"Little Boy Blue,"
Master Thomas Lysett
Song—"Over the Fields of Clover"
Misses Christie McDonald, Helen Blumle, Francis Blumle and Mayme Cummings, Mrs. Wells, accompanist.
Piano Solo, ... Miss Ida Seger
Recitation—"Sand Man," ..... Agnes Cleary
Piano Solo—"Wives and Sweethearts,"
Harold Seger
Recitation "Expecting to get Even," Lena Bair
Piano Solo ..... Herbert Vogt
Vocal Solo, ... Mrs. Youtz
Piano Solo—"Flower Song."
Miss Christie McDonadl

Handsome Home.

Contractor Kriner is pushing the work on Frank Shives' new residence, which from present appearances will be a handsome edifice.

Out of Repair.

For the first time since its erection, the town clock failed to strike on Monday. It was soon righted and is again as punctual as ever. We could not keep house without it.

Came Back Single.

John Hogan has returned from an extended visit to friends in New York and says he had a notion to remain longer, but feared a pair of black eyes, might capture him and that would suit Murphy too well.

Will Entertain Ridgwayites.

Rev. W. A. Pugsley goes to Ridgway to-day to attend the dedication of the new Baptist church. He will deliver an address this afternoon and to-night preach upon the following subject: "How to study the Bible."

Will Wed.

Invitations have been received by many friends of Mr. Edward Logan McCloskey, at this place, to attend his marriage to Miss Mary Winson Stokem, at Wilkinsburg, June 17th. The PRESS, and many friends, extend, in advance, the kindest wishes to the excellent young man and his choice of wife-mate.

The Star Course.

The ladies of the First Methodist Episcopal Church have decided not to conduct the star course this season but will assign the same to the High School, who have expressed a desire to conduct it for the benefit of the library. It is hoped the teachers will have the hearty co-operation of our citizens in this praiseworthy project.

Emmanuel Church.

Beginning next Sunday there will be an early celebration of the Holy Communion every Sunday at 7:30 o'clock, except on the first Sunday of the month.

The hour of the mid-day service has been changed from eleven to half-past ten o'clock. The Sunday school hour has been changed to twelve o'clock.

Notice.

Do not fail to come and see the exhibit of the Weaver Organ & Piano Co., at the Schlecht Bldg.

Organs and Pianos direct from the factory of the Weaver Organ & Piano Co., Schlecht Bldg.

Organs and Pianos at factory prices from the Weaver Organ and Piano Co, at the Schlecht Bldg.

Returned West.

Mr. Joseph Kaye, member of the extentive lumber firm of C. B. Howard Co., returned to Westboro, Wis., this morning to look after the Company's extensive timber and mill interests in that section. While attending to business and visiting with his relatives and friends, he did not forget his fraternal duties and assisted his brethern very materially, and elegantly entertained them with a banquet Tuesday evening.

Former Rector White.

Rev. F. W. White, of Freeport, Ills., years ago Rector of Emmanuel Church, Emporium, visited in town last week and attended the new Emmanuel Church consecration, also visited with many friends, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Gallagher. Last Sunday morning and evening he occupied his old pulpit and delivered two able sermons. The Rev. gentlleman apparently enjoyed his visit in our mountain city.

The Small-pox Case.

The small-pox patient is reported by Dr. Bardwell, the attending physician, as doing nicely. Not having been within the Borough limits, coming here from St. Marys, he did not come in contact with any of our citizens, the closest watch being held to keep any person from going to his tent, it is hoped to prevent the disease from spreading. The patient is a young man, sixteen years of age.

Miss Walker Favorably Received at St Marys.

The violin solo by Miss Grace A. Walker, of Emporium, was one of the star numbers of the program. For fine effective playing, Miss Walker has few if any, equals in this section of the state. Persistent applause recalled her and she played a sweet and tender strain from one of the old masters. Miss Walker will be remembered long by the people of St. Marys as one who added much to their entertainment and greatly to the success of the concert.—Gazette.

Public Sale.

The undersigned will sell at public sale at Schlecht Bldg., in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on Saturday evening, June 13th, 1903 at 7:30 p. m., a lot of fine slightly used organs consisting of about a dozen different makes. These organs have been taken in on exchange for pianos and have been thoroughly repaired and tuned at our factory at York, Pa. We will sell them on easy monthly payments or by note, so as to make it possible for every home to be made happy. There will be on exhibition a lot of new organs and pianos. These organs can be seen and examined on and after June 10th by calling at the rooms in the Schlecht Bldg.

Weaver Organ & Piano Co.,
RITTER & DERRICK, Salesmen.

Byron W. King's School at Corry. See the announcement. 15 3t.

THE NEW CHURCH CONSECRATED.

A Great Day in the History of Emmanuel Parish.

The First Meeting in This Parish of the Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Pittsburgh.

The greatest mile stone in the history of Emmanuel Parish was turned last week when the substantial and dignified new church building was formally opened and consecrated by the Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, S. T. D., Bishop of Pittsburgh. This impressive event, taken in connection with the meeting of the Northern Convocation and the confirmation of a goodly class of candidates, makes the occasion one that will always be remembered with grateful and affectionate pride by the members and friends of Emmanuel Church.

A special interestattached to the service on Wednesday evening as it was the first service of worship in the new building. Upon the ones in the pews waiting for the service to begin, the brightly lighted interior of the church itself wrought an uplifting effect. The chaste coloring of walls and ceiling; the rich oak finish of pews and lecturn; the long, narrow proportions of the building, giving that sense of depth and reserve and awe which are so essential in a church; the deep chancel receding behind the massive arch to the altar, which, surmounted by the cross and adorned with flowers against a dark red background, is the object which forms the center of appeal to the eye and lifts the mind to thoughts of the holy and invisible God—all combined to speak a message to the worshipper more potent than mere words can utter.

A strain was heard from the organ, the double doors leading from the choir room were opened, and the choir and clergy entered in procession singing a triumphant hymn. Evening prayer was read by the Rector. The Rev. Messrs. Cole and Donaghay read the Lessons, Tours' Magnificant and Nunc Dimittis were used. The sermon, the first in the new church, was preached by Bishop Whitehead. After the sermon a class of nine was presented for Confirmation. The members of the class were: Mrs. Henrietta Fetter, Florence Mary Faucett, Pearl Grace Shadman, Grace Elizabeth Morton, Mildred Green, Rosa Bella Pye, Minnie Morse, John William Trotter and James M. Davidson.

On Thursday morning at seven o'clock the Holy Communion was celebrated by the Rector. The celebration was preceded by a service of the Benediction over the altar by the Bishop.

The Consecration of the church occurred at half-past ten o'clock on Thursday, June 4th. At ten o'clock the Vestry had met in the choir room and executed the instrument of donation. When the hour for service arrived the choir marched into the chancel singing a processional hymn. Meanwhile the Bishop and clergy had formed in procession and marched from the rear door of the sacristy around to the front entrance of the church where they were met by the members of the Vestry. Mr. B. W. Green on behalf of the Vestry, read the instrument of donation declaring the building free from all lien and encumbrance and giving it over for the uses of worship in accordance with the doctrines, rites, and usages of the Protestant Episcopal Church. The Bishop, followed by the clergy then proceeded to the chancel, chanting the twenty-fourth Psalm. The Sentence of Consecration, executed by the Bishop, was read by Archdeacon Cole, and placed on the altar by the Bishop. This completed the essential act of consecration. Morning prayer was read by the Rev. F. W. White, former rector of the Parish, the Rev. Messrs. Spalding and Hills reading the lessons.

The Bishop officiated in the communion service. The consecration sermom was preached by the Rev. Arthur R. Taylor of Warren from the text: "The place whereon thou standest is holy ground" (Exodus 3: 5). The preacher emphasized the truth that the consecration of a special place does not imply that other places are not holy, but on the contrary spring out of the truth that all places are holy. Every place may be made the scene of honest toil or of heroic sacrifice and every such place is a holy place. The concreation of special places is meant to hold aloft the truth of the sanctity of all places, and to save it from sinking into the too common assumption that no place is holy. In conclusion the preacher paid a personal tribute to the Rector who was formerly associated with him at Warren, and to a member of the Parish who was his school mate thirty years ago and to whom is largely due the erection of the church building. He also commended in generous terms the showing which this Parish has made in missionary contributions under circumstances which most parishes would have regarded as a good excuse for giving nothing at all outside of themselves.

At the afternoon session of the Convocation a review of Ernest Hamlin Abbott's book, "Religious Life in America," was given by the Rev. Percy L. Donaghay, of DuBois. This was followed by a translation of a review in a French periodical of Flournoy's recent work, "The Principles of the Psychology of Religion." The translation was prepared and read by the Rector of the Parish, and was ordered printed by the Convocation.

At the evening session, evening prayer was read by the Rev. W. E. Van Dyke of Osceola Mills. Two papers were read, the first was by the Rev. J. H. McCandless of Smethport on the subject. "The Office and Work of the Holy Ghost;" the second by the Rev. F. S. Spalding, of Erie, on the subject, "The Influence of Modern Thought on the Doctrine of the Atonement." The Bishop was not present at this session, having gone to St. Mary's, accompanied by Archdeacon Cole, to make his first visitation to that town.

The music at all services was superb, imparting a most important element to the impressiveness of the services and reflecting the greatest credit upon the efforts of Mr. and Mrs. William Howard in ordering the music and in training the choir. Dr. H. L. McCoy, of Smethport, Mr. Ralph Goodal, of Driftwood and Mrs. J. H. Havens, of Olean, were additions to the choir from out of town.

The luncheon and banquet served in the reading room were a most pleasant feature of the occasion and contributes very much to the good opinion of Emporium which the clergy carried away with them. At the close of the banquet the Rev. Mr. Spalding accepted the role of toast master and under his happy lead many good thiugs were said by divers present.

The following clergymen of the Convocation were present in addition to Bishop Whitehead and Archdeacon Cole: The Rev. Messrs. Donaghay, of DuBois, Henderson of Clearfield, Hills of Oil City, McCandless of Smethport, Spalding of Erie, Taylor of Warren and VanDyke of Osceola Mills. The Rev. Geo. R Bishop of Renovo, was also present on Thursday.

Specially pleasing features of the occasion were the presence of the Rev. F. W. White, Rector of Emmanuel Parish from 1884 to 1888, and the Rev. J. L. Robertson of Clarendon, father of the present Rector. Both made happy speeches at the banquet. The Rev. Mr. White remained in the Parish over Sunday and preached at both morning and evening services.

A considerable number of visitors from nearby towns were present.

John Robinson's Great World's Exposition.

Probably the most colossal as well as the most nevry amusement venture of the day is that inaugurated this season by the management of the John Robinson show—a venture requiring an expenditure so enormous that a statement of the amount would scarcely be credited by the general reader. We allude to the production on a scale of magnitude and opulent splendor never precedented to the new Biblical spectacle of Solomon, His Temple and the Queen of Sheba, a spectacle prolific in grand scenic effect, impressive in pomp and pagentry, realistic in its reproductions of the patriarchal era, sacred in its Biblical associations, and entrancing in the ballets, poses, marching and groupings. The visit of the Queen of Sheba to King Solomon's court with her immense and richly costumed retinue, the Judgment of Solomon, the sacrifices in the Temple Solomon's seven hundred Wives, the grand Processional Pageant to meet and welcome Sheba's lovely queen the Walls and City of Jerusalem, the Inner Court of Solomon's Temple, the great Throne of Ivory, the Sacrifical Ceremonies, the Sacred Ark of the Covenant, the bewitching ballets of lovely Cresset Girls, and myriad features that cannot be given in detail, are the attractions this wondrous spectacle presents. With such a desirable feature added to the admirable Circus and vast Menagerie, and the Royal Roman Hippodrome, the many canvases, spacious as they are, should and will be packed from center to circumference by eager and gratified spectators each afternoon and evening. The show will exhibit at Emporium, June 16th.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

ROBINSON.

MRS. BERTHA ROBINSON, aged 38 years, wife of Andrew Robinson, died at the family residence, this place, June 5th, after a long illness, leaving five sons, all young. The funeral took place from Emmanuel church Monday afternoon, the services being very largely attended by our citizens. Deceased was a great sufferer. The five small childreu and bereaved husband are deeply entitled to the sympathy of our citizens.

Eye Specialist.

Prof. W. H. Budine, the well known Eye Specialist, of Binghamton, N. Y., will be at R. H. Hirsch's jewelry store, Emporium, Pa, June 12th and 13th. If you can't see well or have headache don't fail to call and see Prof. Budine, as he guarantees to cure all such cases. Lenses ground and fitted in old frames. Eyes tested and examined free. All work guaranteed.

Baptist Church Notes.

Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, morning subject: "Blind;" evening topic: "Blinders."

Bible school at the close of morning worship, C. E Crandell, Supt. Y. P. S. C. E., at 6:30, B Olmsted, President. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:45. All welcome.

Ball and Supper.

The Knights of the Golden Eagle of Cameron, will hold a ball and supper in their Hall at Cameron, Pa., Friday evening, June 19, 1903. Good music will be in attendance Six o'clock and mid night supper will be served, also lemonade, ice cream, candy and cigars. The proceeds of the evening to be applied for the relief of a sick member. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

WEATHER REPORT.
(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)
FRIDAY, Fair.
SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY, Showers.

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All praises of the Louisiana purchase exposition pale their ineffectual effulgence before those uttered by Rev. John T. M. Johnston, of the Delmar Avenue Baptist church of St. Louis, at the American Baptist anniversaries convention recently held in Buffalo. Mr. Johnston, speaking of the approaching fair as posterity's emphasis of a mighty event, is quoted: "Nothing has happened since Christ's resurrection, save Pentecost, the reformation and the declaration of American independence, that counts so much for civilization, enlightenment and uplift of the world as the Louisiana purchase." These mighty words should not be allowed to drift into the obscurity that so often swallows resounding utterances that ring a great and resounding note in the horologe of time. The gay and thoughtless crowds at the world's fair, suggests the Globe-Democrat, as they stroll down the midway, and listen to the piping, barbaric music of the Streets of Cairo, as they linger over their steins in Old Vienna or call for real imported bratwurst in the Tyrolean Alps; or when they are introduced to the mysteries of Hindoo festivities, or are looking upon the green corn dance of the Pottawatomies, or the performances of all trained animals, must not imagine that all this is but a frivolous summer's holiday, but the celebration of one of the four greatest events of the Christian era.

Exposition's Place in History.

The moment the public tires of the cheap and unworthy stuff now written for its delectation and demands something of a superior quality, the composers of "popular music" will endeavor to improve their productions. A general demand always brings a response. Possibly another Stephen Foster may arise, and write durable songs, of which we can be proud. We really should have some songs which could be favorably compared with the standard Scotch or English songs. Such a condition on the part of the public taste, writes E. R. Kroeger, in the Frontier Monthly, would lead to a natural desire to cultivate a love for so-called "classical music." Eventually this might lead to our gamins whistling airs from the operas, as is the case in France, or teamsters humming motives from Beethoven's Symphonies, as is the case in Germany. This can be done only by united individual effort. The discouragement of the vulgar "coon song" and the encouragement of a better class of music is within every one's reach. Soon composers of that kind of song will see that the public no longer wishes it, and then they will try and do something better. By stages we can advance, and maybe a generation hence we will no longer be reproached with being "an unmusical nation."

Demand and Supply in Music.

Men who have sacrificed youth and health, scrimped their families, and injured their digestion in the acquirement of a "pile," often think they are public benefactors, and that humanity in general owes them a debt of gratitude for being so rich. In consequence they resent as cruel injustice the fatigue, chagrin and newspaper notoriety that money invariably brings in its trail. It would be about as consistent, writes Elliot Gregory in Century, for a little boy who had gorged himself on purloined apples to feel injured when an avenging stomach-ache followed gluttony.

By all means strive not to become narrow or bigoted. You will very likely be compelled to devote yourself to one occupation, but keep your mind broadened by reading about other matters. Be perfect as you can in one thing, but be intelligent with relation to many others.

Reports from southern China, where a famine is raging, say the men are selling their wives and children in order to obtain food. It would be a fine thing if the hungry women could sell their husbands, but perhaps nobody would buy them.

THE PRESIDENT AND IOWA.

Mistake of the Democracy Regarding the Tariff Situation in That State.

Some of the democratic papers are saying that President Roosevelt has been converted to the Iowa idea regarding the tariff. The fact is, however, that Gov. Cummins, one of the leading exponents of the Iowa fad, has been won over to the president's side on that question. According to revelations which have just been made, the president, in the interview which he had with the Iowa governor, showed that the latter stood on the platform of the St. Louis convention of 1896, on which McKinley was nominated the first time. That platform set forth: "We are not pledged to any particular schedules. The question of rates is a practical one, to be governed by the conditions of the time and of production. The ruling and uncompromising principle is the protection and development of American labor and industries." Cummins acknowledged that he stood on that declaration. The presumption is that a platform along that line will be adopted in the approaching republican convention in Iowa, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The republicans carried out the platform expression of 1896 when they enacted the Dingley law of 1897. That act has given the country satisfaction. No sort of a trade statute can be eternal, and some time or other the Dingley law will be revised by the republicans. It is well to remember that that act was one of the big factors in the restoration of the prosperity which came to the country, very quickly after the democrats were turned out of the government and the republicans were put in power. The act has not yet outlived its usefulness. The president is convinced of the truth of this proposition. There would be no sense in making any changes in this law at the present time. No sane republican in the country who thinks of the damage that tariff tinkering has done to the party guilty of it when it was done just before an important election will urge revision by the congress which meets next winter. That congress, in its first term, will be in session at the time the two big conventions meet. A scheme of tariff revision which should be entered on in the session which begins in December, 1903, would carry the enactment of the bill to a date a few months previous to the election.

The papers which are saying the president has surrendered to the Cummings faddists ought to know that William B. Allison is to write the platform of the coming Iowa convention. It is well known that Allison has always been against the immediate revision folly. He was hostile to Cummings' influence in the dictation of the policy of the Iowa republicans. Of course, the Iowa idea did not have the slightest effect in the congressional canvass of 1902, except as it sent Henderson into retirement. Henderson's district, however, is represented by a man who cares as little about the Cummins idea as did Henderson himself, but he has sense enough to hold on to his seat. The point of prime importance is to avert all schemes of tariff revision which are intended to go into operation before the presidential election. The question can be talked about afterward with less danger to the party, and less, also, to trade. Senator Allison will see to it that nothing will get into his state platform which will make him or Iowa ridiculous. The tariff will not be introduced into the approaching campaign, except as the democrats may do this by attacking the protective system. Their attacks, if they are made, will be welcome. Nothing would please the republicans of the nation more than to see the democrats make a fierce assault on the tariff all along the line. If Cummins and his awkward squad of tariff smashers can incite the democracy to make an assault on the protective policy by which the country has secured a prosperity unknown anywhere else in the world, they will do a rare service for their party.

Cleveland Versus Bryan.

Of course, it will be expected that Mr. Bryan will take the stump for the republican ticket if Mr. Cleveland should be nominated next year. The republicans could win without Bryan's help on the stump, but we presume Mr. Hanna or the manager of the canvass, whoever he chances to be, will not put the Nebraska man off the track if he wants to aid the republicans. The outlook for the republicans seems especially bright for the canvass of 1904, yet the campaign leaders should be willing to accept a two-thirds majority in the electoral college if Mr. Bryan and his friends are willing to help them to get it. As an assailant of the ex-president, the ex-presidential candidate would be at his best. He would be able to attract as big audiences as greeted him when he was getting his ovations in 1896 and 1900.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

☞The decision of Senator Hanna not to oppose the adoption by the Ohio state republican convention of resolutions favoring the nomination of President Roosevelt in 1904, closely followed by the indorsement given the president in the Pennsylvania state convention, removes all doubt of Mr. Roosevelt's nomination by acclamation to be his own successor.—Chicago Record-Herald.

☞In speaking of Jonahs, Mr. Bryan's remarks are those of an expert who has been twice swallowed by the whale.—N. Y. World (dem.).

ROOSEVELT AND HANNA.

Everything Is Understood Between Them as Regards the Nomination in 1904.

There has been a complete understanding between Senator Hanna and President Roosevelt for six months and perhaps for a longer time as regards the nomination of the president in 1904. Senator Hanna has said positively over and over again that he would not be a candidate and that he should be glad to give his support to the president. Under the circumstances, says the Chicago Tribune, it was a little bit like sharp practice for some Ohio politicians to attempt to force the senator's hand and compel a demand for the nomination of the president by the next state convention. There is no reason why his nomination should not be recommended by the convention, and on the other hand there was no particular reason why an attempt should be made to put Senator Hanna in a corner and cast an imputation upon his good faith. The failure to agree to a resolution favoring the president's renomination after it was once proposed would be taken by some to signify that Senator Hanna might withdraw his support from the president at the last moment.

The discussion has theoretical rather than practical value. It is evident the people of Ohio themselves want Mr. Roosevelt to be nominated and are heartily in favor of the resolution to that effect which is to be adopted. In view of the fact that a number of such resolutions have already been passed and that others will go through state conventions as fast as they assemble, there is no reason why Ohio at this time should fail to join in the hallelujah chorus.

One thing may now definitely be predicted. It is that the republican convention of 1904 will be, so far as the presidential nomination is concerned, as tame and spiritless as that of Philadelphia in 1900. President Roosevelt will be nominated by acclamation. He has no enemies in the republican party outside of Wall street. There may be a little ripple of excitement in connection with the vice presidential nomination, but even in that respect there will be nothing like the tumult occasioned by the enforced candidacy of Mr. Roosevelt and his nomination in spite of himself by some of those who thought they were doing him an ill turn when they put him on the ticket next to McKinley. However, the vice presidency will not this time be pressed upon any unwilling or reluctant candidate. In all probability the nominee will be agreed on months in advance of the meeting of the convention.

The platform, too, will occasion no dissension nor serious debate, either on the tariff or any other question. It will be framed in committee and passed under the previous question without debate. There is substantial harmony between the advocates of the "Iowa idea" and those of the "Pennsylvania idea," and nobody will disturb it.

There will be no malcontents in the convention from any quarter, so far as it is possible to judge at the present time. The convention will be almost equal in point of harmony to the one which nominated Grant for the second time in 1872. Since then there has been no republican national convention quite so uneventful until that of 1900.

PARAGRAPHIC POINTERS.

☞Mr. Cleveland fully understands that the noisy fisherman gets few bites.—Chicago Record-Herald.

☞Mr. Bryan has nailed his colors to the mast, and if the mast can stand it, he can.—Detroit Free Press (dem.).

☞Mrs. Grover Cleveland and Col. William J. Bryan seem to be quite at one in opposing the nomination of Grover.—St. Paul Globe (dem.).

☞Mr. Bryan suggests Judge Clark, of North Carolina, as an available man. The judge appears to possess the requisite obscurity.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

☞If Mr. Bryan is still looking for a democrat of unquestionable loyalty, and one who has never hesitated to proclaim himself, there is the Hon. Benjamin R. Tillman, of South Carolina.—Kansas City Star (dem.).

☞Bryan predicts that Cleveland will withdraw as a candidate as soon as his vanity is satisfied. If a personal failing of that kind exists, it will hardly stop short of a fourth nomination.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

☞As the president states the case it is a very simple matter. Says he: "Those who favor my administration and nomination will indorse them, and those who do not will oppose them." Why, then, all this pother?—Indianapolis News (ind.).

☞As the democratic national convention is more than 52 weeks distant, the Commoner will be able to propose for the presidential nomination practically every Bryan democrat who has been elected to anything since 1896.—Kansas City Star (dem.).

☞Now that Wall street has consented, we take it that there will be no further opposition anywhere to the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt in 1904. Still, it would have made no material difference if Wall street had withheld its consent.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

☞It is said that Mrs. Cleveland objects to returning to the white house for another four years' siege. It is entirely consistent with the people's admiration for this charming lady to remark that her wish in the matter will probably be respected.—Rochester (N. Y.) Democrat and Chronicle.

POSTAL INQUIRY.

Two Clerks in the Postoffice Department Arrested.

Charge of Conspiracy to Defraud the United States Government in the Purchase of Mail Pouches —Grand Jury Indicts A. W. Machen.

Washington, June 6.—As a result of the sweeping investigation of affairs at the postoffice department, Thomas W. McGregor, a clerk in charge of the supplies for the rural free delivery service, and C. Ellsworth Upton, of Baltimore, one of McGregor's assistants, were arrested Friday on the charge of conspiracy with Charles E. Smith, of Baltimore, to defraud the government in the purchase of the leather pouches furnished the rural carriers throughout the country. Their cases make seven arrests in all since the investigation began. Other arrests are expected later.

The story of Friday's arrests is best told in the following official statement given out by Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow last evening:

"Thomas W. McGregor and C. Ellsworth Upton were arrested this afternoon upon warrants sworn out in Baltimore by Inspectors J. D. Sullivan and R. D. Simmons, charged with conspiracy with Charles E. Smith and others to defraud the United States government in the purchase of pouches from C. E. Smith, of Baltimore. The complaint sets forth that McGregor and Upton agreed with Smith to obtain for him orders for many thousand leather pouches such as are used by rural letter carriers. The price agreed upon was 90 cents per pouch; the actual value was less than 50 cents. Smith was to pay to them the difference between 90 and 50 cents per pouch. It is stated at the department that the actual number of pouches purchased exceeded 20,000, for which the government paid 90 cents each, or $18,000 in all. Smith received and retained of this for his own use $10,000. The remaining $8,000 was paid to McGregor and Upton. The government could have bought the entire number of pouches from the manufacturers for $8,000."

Baltimore, June 6.—Columbus Ellsworth Upton was locked up in the Central police station last night and is held for the United States authorities. He will be taken before United States Commissioner Rogers today or Monday. Bail was refused by the local police officials. Three post office inspectors are in the city and the police expect other arrests in connection with the scandal in the postoffice department in Washington.

Washington, June 6.—The grand jury on Friday reported an indictment against August W. Machen, former superintendent of the free delivery service of the postoffice department, who was arrested several days ago, charged with sharing profits on government contracts for letter box fasteners. The indictment was brought for violation of Section 5501 of the revised statutes, the penalty for violation of which is a "fine not more than three times the amount asked or accepted or received, and by imprisonment not more than three years."

The amount which the indictment states he received illegally is $18,987.79. Mr. Machen was in court with his attorneys when the grand jury reported and immediately gave bond in the sum of $20,000 for his appearance in court. The trial will occur in October.

HOME AGAIN.

President Roosevelt Returns to Washington After His Tour of the West.

Washington, June 6.—President Roosevelt returned to Washington last night from his memorable trip of over two months through the west. He was given a hearty reception by the people of the capital, who lined the sidewalks as his carriage, escorted by the battalion of high school cadets, was driven to the White House.

At the entrance to the White House grounds the president and his party passed the cadets in review. The avenue was lined with people and the applause which greeted the president on every hand was cordial. The fire engines of the city were stationed at the intersecting streets on the avenue and the tolling of their bells added to the welcome. While the review of the cadets was taking place a large crowd of people repaired to the rear of the White House, where the Marine band gave a concert in honor of the arrival home of the chief executive.

The trip just completed has been in some respects the most remarkable a president ever took. Mr. Roosevelt and his party traveled over 14,600 miles on railroads and several hundred miles in stage coaches and carriages, but not an accident marred their journey. Not five minutes' delay was occasioned during the whole trip on account of train conditions.

During the 65 days that the president spent on the road he made 265 speeches, and had it not been for Secretary Loeb's firmness he would have made nearly double that number.

One of the remarkable features of the trip was the non-partisan spirit displayed in the reception of the president everywhere.

A Hurricane in the Philippines.

Manila, June 6.—A hurricane has swept over the Philippine Islands and great damage has been done to shipping. The United States transport Shamshua is reported to have been wrecked. This, however, has not been confirmed. The United States steamer Pearla de Visayas has been lost off Camotes Island. Part of her crew were saved. The United States steamer San Rafael and the schooner Mayflower have been driven ashore off Ormoc, West Leyte, and will prove total losses. All on board these vessels were saved.

Pennsylvania RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAIL ROAD DIVISION.

In effect May 24, 1903.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM EASTWARD

8 15 A. M.—Week days for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.23 P. M., New York 9.30 P. M., Baltimore 6.00 P. M., Washington 7.15 P. M. Pullman Parlor car from Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington.

12:25 P. M. (Emporium Junction) daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 p. m.; New York, 10:23 p. m.; Baltimore, 7:30 p. m.; Washington, 8:35, p. m. Vestibuled Parlor cars and passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

3 20 P. M.—daily for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 4.25 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M. Baltimore, 2:20 A. M. Washington, 3:30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 A. M.

10 25 P. M.—Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 7.22 A. M., New York 9.33 A. M., weekdays, (10.33 A. M. Sunday;) Baltimore 7.15 A. M., Washington 8.30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie, Buffalo and Williamsport to Philadelphia and Buffalo, Williamsport to Washington. Passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore.

12:01 A. M. (Emporium Junction), daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:22 a. m.; New York, 9:33 a. m., week days; (10:33 Sundays); Baltimore, 7:15 a. m.; Washington, 8:30 a. m. Vestibuled Buffet Sleeping Cars and Passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

WESTWARD.

5:10 A. M.—Emporium Junction—daily for Erie, Ridgway, and week days for DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations.

10 30 A. M.—Daily for Erie and week days for DuBois and intermediate stations.

6 23 P. M.—Week days for Kane and intermediate stations.

RIDGWAY AND CLEARFIELD R. R. CONNECTIONS.
(Week days.)

SOUTHWARD.			Stations.	NORTHWARD		
P. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
.....	9 00	4 00	....Renovo....	.....	5 00	11 45
.....	9 50	4 38	...Driftwood...	.....	4 00	11 05
.....	10 25	5 10	Emporium Junc	.....	3 23	10 35
.....	11 13	5 53	...St. Marys...	.....	2 41	9 50
3 25	11 05	6 00	.....Kane.....	12 25	3 05	8 25
3 43	11 23	6 22	...Wilcox....	12 05	2 45	8 04
3 56	11 38	6 36	..Johnsonburg..	9 55	2 33	7 49
.....				.....	.....	
4 10	12 10	7 00	...Ridgway,....	9 30	2 15	7 30
.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....
4 20	12 20	7 10	..Mill Haven...	9 20	2 04	7 20
4 30	12 30	7 21	..Croyland....	9 10	1 54	7 09
4 34	12 33	7 25	..Shorts Mills..	9 06	1 51	7 05
4 37	12 36	7 28	...Blue Rock...	9 02	1 47	7 01
4 41	12 40	7 33	....Carrier....	8 57	1 43	6 57
4 51	12 50	7 43	.Brockwayville.	8 49	1 33	6 47
4 54	12 54	7 47	...Lanes Mills,.	8 44	1 28	6 43
		7 51	.McMinns Sm't.	8 40		6 38
5 02	1 03	7 54	..Harveys Run..	8 35	1 19	6 35
5 10	1 10	8 03	..Falls Creek...	8 30	1 15	6 30
5 25	1 25	8 13	....DuBois.....	8 20	1 05	6 10
5 12	1 15	8 05	..Falls Creek...	6 53	1 15	6 30
5 27	1 32	8 18	..Reynoldsville..	6 39	12 52	6 15
6 00	1 59	8 45	...Brookville...	6 05	12 24	5 39
6 45	2 38	9 30	New Bethlehem		11 47	4 50
7 25	3 20	10 10	...Red Bank....	.....	11 10	4 05
9 45	5 30	12 35	....Pittsburg...	.....	9 00	1 30
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.

BUFFALO & ALLEGHENY VALLEY DIVISION.

Leav Emporium Junction for Port Allegany, Olean, Arcade, East Aurora and Buffalo.

Train No. 107, daily,.....4:05 A. M.
Train No. 115, daily,.....4:15 P. M.

Trains leave Emporium for Keating, Port Allegany, Coudersport, Smethport, Eldred, Bradford, Olean and Buffalo, connecting at Buffalo for points East and West.

Train No. 111, week days,.....8:30 A. M.
Train No. 103, week days .....1:40 P. M.

Train No. 103 will connect at Olean with Chautauqua Division for Allegany, Bradford, Salamanca Warren, Oil City and Pittsburg.

LOW GRADE DIVISION.

EASTBOUND.

Stations.	109	113	101	105	107	901
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M	P. M	A. M.
Pittsburg...Lv.	.....	†6 15	†9 00	†130	*505	‡ 9 00
Red Bank,.....	.....	9 28	11 10	4 05	7 55	11 10
Lawsonham,..	.....	9 40	§1122	4 18	8 07	11 23
New Bethle'm.	.....	10 13	11 47	4 50	8 37	11 55
Brookville,....	†6 05	11 00	12 24	5 30	9 22	12 41
Reynoldsville,.	6 39	11 32	12 52	6 15	9 50	1 14
Falls Creek....	6 53	11 48	1 13	6 30	1005	1 29
DuBois,.....	7 00	†11 55	1 25	6 40	1010	‡ 1 35
Sabula,.....	7 12	.....	1 37	6 52	§*	
Pennfield,.....	7 30	.....	1 55	7 10	Note.	
Bennezette,....	8 04	.....	2 29	7 44		
Driftwood,.....	†8 40	.....	†3 05	†820		
via P. & E. Div						
Driftwood,. Lv.	*9 50	.....	†3 45			
Emporium, Ar.	†10 30	.....	†4 10			
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M	P. M	P. M.

WESTBOUND.

Stations.	108	106	102	114	110	942
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Via P. & E. Div	.....	.....	†8 15	.....	†3 20	.....
Emporium, Lv.	.....	.....	†9 00	.....	†4 00	.....
Driftwood, Ar..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Via L. G. Div	.....					
Driftwood, Lv.	.....	†6 10	†1110	.....	†5 50	.....
Bennezette,....	.....	6 45	11 45	.....	6 26	.....
Pennfield,.....	.....	7 20	12 20	.....	7 00	.....
Sabula,.....	.....		12 39	.....	7 18	.....
DuBois.....	*6 10	8 00	12 55	†5 05	7 35	†4 10
Falls Creek,....	6 17	8 05	1 15	5 12	7 42	4 17
Reynoldsville,..	6 31	8 18	1 29	5 27	7 58	4 30
Brookville,....	7 05	8 45	1 59	6 00	†8 30	5 00
New Bethle'm	7 51	9 30	2 38	6 45	.....	5 45
Lawsonham,..	8 21	9 57	§3 06	7 14	.....	6 18
Red Bank,Ar..	8 35	10 10	3 20	7 25	.....	6 30
Pittsburg, Ar...	*11 15	†1235	†5 30	†9 45	.....	†9 30
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

Note—Train 107 on Sundays will make all stop. between Red Bank and DuBois.
*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.
§Flag Stop.
For Time Tables and further information, apply to Ticket Agent.

W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager. GEO. W. BOYD, Gen'l Passenger Agt.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	10	8	4	6	2
	P. M.	.....	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Port Allegany,.. Lv.	3 15	.....	7 05	.....	11 36
Coleman,.....	*3 23	.....	○○	.....	*11 41
Burtville,.....	3 30	.....	7 16	.....	11 47
Roulette,.....	3 40	.....	7 25	.....	11 55
Knowlton's,.....	*3 45	.....	○○	.....	*11 59
Mina,.....	3 59	.....	7 35	.....	12 05
Olmsted,.....	*4 05	.....	*7 38	.....	*12 09
Hammonds,.....	○○	.....	○○	.....	*12 13
Coudersport. { Ar.	4 20	A. M.	7 45	.....	12 15
Coudersport. { Lv.		6 10		6 00	1 00
North Coudersport,	.....	*6 15	.....	○○	*1 05
Frink's,.....	.....	6 25	.....	*6 10	*1 12
Colesburg,.....	.....	*6 40	.....	*6 17	1 20
Seven Bridges,.....	.....	*6 45	.....	*6 21	*1 24
Raymonds's,.....	.....	*7 00	.....	*6 30	1 35
Gold,.....	.....	7 05	.....	6 36	1 41
Newfield,.....	.....	○○	.....		1 45
Newfield Junction,..	.....	7 37	.....	6 45	1 50
Perkins,.....	.....	*7 40	.....	*6 48	*1 53
Carpenter's,.....	.....	7 46	.....	○○	*1 57
Crowell's,.....	.....	7 50	.....	*6 53	*2 01
Ulysses,..... Ar.	.....	8 05	.....	7 05	2 10
	.....	A. M.	.....		P. M.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	1	5	3	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	.....
Ulysses,.....Lv.	7 20	2 25	9 10	.....
Crowell's,.....	*7 27	*2 32	* 9 19	.....
Carpenter's,.....	○○	*2 34	* 9 22	.....
Perkins,.....	*7 32	*2 37	* 9 26	.....
Newfield Junction,.....	7 37	2 42	9 32	.....
Newfield,.....	*7 41	2 46	○○	.....
Gold,.....	7 44	2 49	9 49	.....
Raymond's.....	*7 49	2 54	* 9 47	.....
Seven Bridges,.....	*8 01	*3 03	*10 02	.....
Colesburg,.....	*8 04	3 09	*10 10	.....
Frink's,.....	*8 12	*3 17	*10 20	.....
North Coudersport, ...	○○	*3 26	*10 35	.....
Coudersport, { Ar.	8 25	3 39	10 45	.....
Coudersport, { Lv.	8 28	6 00	P. M.	.....
	○○	○○	1 20	.....
Hammonds,.....	*8 33	*6 05	*1 31	.....
Olmsted,.....	8 37	6 10	1 37	.....
Mina,.....	○○	*6 17	○○	.....
Knowlton's,.....	8 47	6 21	1 51	.....
Roulette,.....	8 54	6 28	2 01	.....
Burtville,.....	○○	*6 34	○○	.....
Coleman,.....	9 08	6 40	2 25	.....
Port Allegany,.....				

(*) Flag stations. (○○) Trains do not stop
(†) Telegraph offices. Train Nos. 2 and 10 carry passengers. Trains 8 and 10 do.

Trains run on Eastern Standard Time.

Connections—At Ulysses with Fall Brook R'y for points north and south. At B. & S. Junction with Buffalo & Susquehanna R. R. north for Wellsville, south for Galeton and Ansonia. At Port Allegany with W. N. Y. & P. R. R., north for Buffalo, Olean, Bradford and Smethport; south for Keating Summit, Austin, Emporium and Penn'a R. R., points.

B. A. McCLURE Gen'l Supt.
Coudersport, Pa.

BUFFALO & SUSQUEHANNA R. R.

Time Table taking Effect June 23, 1902.

Buffalo and Susquehanna Railroad and Connections.

"The Grand Scenic Route."

READ DOWN.

	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	
Lv K'ting Smt...		12 40	7 30	9 10	.....
.....Austin.....	6 35	1 05	8 00	9 50	.....
....Costello.....	6 44	1 14	.....		.....
...Wharton.....	6 56	1 26	.....	3 10	.....
Cross Fork Jct.	7 39	2 09	.....	4 23	.....
....Corbett.....	8 06	2 36	.....	5 15	.....
Germania,.....		2 47	.....	5 15	.....
Ar. } Galeton,..	.....	.....	.....	5 23	.....
Lv. } Galeton,..	8 23	2 53	.....	5 35	.....
.....Gaines Jct.	8 36	3 06	.....	.....	.....
...Westfield....	9 13	3 43	.....	.....	.....
.. Knoxville,...	9 26	3 56	.....	.....	.....
....Osceola....	9 36	4 06	.....	.....	.....
....Elkland.....	9 41	4 11	.....	.....	.....
Ar..Addison....	10 13	4 43	.....	.....	.....
	A. M.	P. M.	.....	.....	.....

READ UP.

	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	.....	P. M.
ar. K't'ng Smt...	8 45	7 10	.....	12 25	.....	.....
.... Austin,.....	8 00	6 43	.....	11 58	.....	8 45
....Costello,....	.....	6 34	.....	11 49	.....	8 36
...Wharton,.....	.....	6 24	8 04	11 39	.....	8 24
Cross Fork J'ct,	.....	5 40	7 25	10 58	.....	7 40
....Corbett,.....	.....	5 15	6 44	10 34	.....	7 15
...Germania,....	.....	5 07	6 31	10 26	.....	7 07
dp. .Galeton....	P. M.	5 00	6 25	.....	.....	.....
ar, "	7 00	.....	1 00	10 20	.....	7 00
... Gaines,.....	6 47	.....	12 47	10 00	.....	6 47
...Westfield,....	6 11	.....	12 11	8 18	.....	6 11
...Knoxville....	5 55	.....	11 55	8 00	.....	5 55
...Osceola,.....	5 46	.....	11 46	7 51	.....	5 46
...Elkland,.....	5 41	.....	11 41	7 46	.....	5 41
Lv Addison,.....	5 10	.....	11 10	7 15	.....	5 10
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	.....	P. M.

Read down. Read up.

P. M.	A. M.	P. M.			A. M.	P. M.	.....
	9 21	7 00	lv..Ansonia..ar		9 40	8 20	.....
	9 11		..Manhatten...		9 54	8 35	.....
	9 07		.South Gaines,.		9 57	8 39	.....
P. M.	8 59	6 37	..Gaines Junc...		9 59	8 42	.....
.....	8 45	6 25	ar } Galeton } lv			8 55	.....
.....	6 30	1 05	lv } Galeton } ar		10 10	4 45	.....
.....	6 47	1 24	....Walton....		9 51	4 28	.....
.....	7 13	1 50	.Newfield Jct..		9 27	4 15	.....
.....	7 30	2 06	West Bingham,.		9 09	3 58	.....
.....	7 41	2 18	....Genesee....		8 58	3 48	.....
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Why Women Don't Marry

By MARIE CORELLI

ALL the various reasons why less women marry than in the days of our grandmothers may be sumned up, more or less, in one phrase: "The decay of the art of falling in love."

Falling in love is a fine art, and it belongs, I think, to an age of greater simplicity of manners and of less sophistication than the present. It may be described as a sort of general determination of the whole spiritual being, heart, mind, fancy, towards love, as there is the like general determination of a plant towards light. Young people do not take the fever now as they used, that is all. There is no particular reason why they should do so—at least, so the cynics say.

To fall in love is neither a merit nor a demerit; it involves the most splendid imprudences, with all sorts of compensating prudences to follow—in short, it is a state of contradictions. You risk everything, and, feeling that you have risked it, you become the most wary and circumspect and self-denying person in the world. Character grows as you look at it under such compulsion. Lads become men, girls women, in a night and a day.

That was the old state of things. Men and women did not reckon too closely upon what they had, beyond the experience of each other's hearts. All that they knew as to the rest was that they meant to have everything needful. The youth began to be careful of his small change; the girl revised her attitude of scorn towards the domestic arts, and saw a sort of halo of service in the darning of stockings. It was an art with young people then, though they knew it not—an art for the formation of character, the guidance of impulse, and for all that tended to the growth of the mind.

Now it is quite impossible to have any success in an art of that kind if you are missing in its first requisite—simplicity and unity in the outlook on life. You must, so to speak, as in a still greater matter, be as a little child. If you are able to laugh at yourself as you are falling in love, to reckon very much with yourself as to wealth, position, comfort, and all the rest of it, you are done for. You are not for that art, though you may shine in favorable circumstances in many others. You may still, if you have a proper endowment, be a club wit, a good dancing-girl, be a wonderful hand at private theatricals, and an indispensable ornament to the dinner-table—but you are not a faller in love. Give it up, and leave to others that tiny plot of the garden of life.

If you have it, marriage will become possible, with a good many other things besides that belong to that tremendous institution. Self-denial, always within the reasonable limits that are to be understood in a discussion of this sort, becomes only a new form of pleasure. Patience, forbearance are positively rollicking relaxations; tenderness, pity, solicitude, first thought for others, are, as it were, the Saturday half-holidays of the mind. Good fortune comes with a double savor—its own, which is quite the smallest part of the matter, and that added instinct of sweetness which belongs to the thought that it is good fortune for those we love.

However, what am I talking about in all this? I am trying to describe the indescribable. There is only one thing worth adding, that if by any chance you possess this art, all the other things that are now hindrances to marriage will become easy; and if you have it not, better a dozen times give up all thought of marriage whatsoever. There is no doubt a certain reward in being a smart woman or a clever fellow, and why should not that be enough?

The Love of Mother

By DR. JOHN T. M. JOHNSTON

Pastor Delmar Baptist Church, St. Louis

WHO does not believe that the sweetest, purest, strongest and most unselfish relationship in life is that of the mother? God intended that this should be, and to this end is the little infant laid so helpless—the most helpless of all the animal kingdom—into the arms of a mother, who has gone down into the depths to rescue it, that she may promote its prosperity and happiness. Mother's love, what language can express it? What tongue can tell it?

When human thought compares God's love to a mother's love it can go no farther, it can say no more, its richest emblem is exhausted.

What tears, what night watching, what solicitude, what self-denial, what pure affection is included in that word—mother?

To the high-bred boy the old home where mother lived is always "Old Point Comfort."

Oh, the wonderful love of mother. The Bible is full of it and we find her love seeking expression in various ways. Sometimes it is expressed in ambition, as in the case of the mother of James and John, who came to Jesus with these words : "Grant me, Lord, that these my two sons may sit—the one on the right hand—the other on the left of thy kingdom."

Young man, I plead for individual attachment to mother, an attachment that will lead you to make her happy and comfortable and if necessary provide her a home—an attachment that will prevent you from doing a base thing for mother's sake. But all the homes in Westmoreland and Portland places cannot satisfy the longing of the mother for her boy. If the son it not clean, pure and aspiring—if he is not true in spirit and worthy in character—he can not make mother happy.

Young man, if you are honest, truthful, industrious and prayerful, your life is sure to honor mother and mother's God. You will also win honorable distinction in the struggle for achievement.

Women of Fashion Losing Tone

By JULIA WARD HOWE

The world grows better and not worse, but it does not grow better everywhere all the time.

Women of fashion seem to me to have lost in dignity of character and in general tone and culture. On the other hand, outside this charmed circle of fashion I find the tone of taste and culture much higher than I remember it to have been in my youth. I find women leading nobler and better lives, filling larger and higher places, enjoying the upper air of thought where they used to rest upon the very soil of domestic care and detail.

So the community gains, although one class loses—but that remember, is the class that assumes to give standards to the rest.

Julia Ward Howe.

TERRIBLE DESTRUCTION WROUGHT BY THE FLOODS

Great Many People Drowned at North Topeka, Kan.

Property Losses Will Amount to Millions of Dollars.

Rivers at Kansas City and Topeka Are Falling—Scarcity of Food Is the Worst Feature of the Situation at Present—Appeal for Help.

Topeka, Kan., June 4.—The Kansas river is rapidly falling. In a few more days the work of rehabilitating North Topeka may begin. The situation may be summarized thus:

At 2 p. m. Wednesday the river had fallen four feet.

Total number of known dead 22; unidentified dead five; reported dead 60.

Commercial club will accept all offered help.

Depth of river is yet 23 feet, which is seven feet above highest ever known previously.

Gov. Bailey has issued a proclamation calling for help and asking that contributions be sent to William Sims, treasurer.

The general relief fund has passed $16,000.

The Elks' fund has passed $4,000.

The fund in the hands of the governor now amounts to $3,500.

All who are held in buildings in North Topeka are safe and comfortable. No one in the flooded district is in danger. The homeless are being well cared for.

Over 200 deputies are guarding property in North Topeka.

The only railroads operating out of Topeka are the Missouri Pacific, south, and the Santa Fe, west.

Topeka, Kan., June 5.—The bodies of seven more flood victims were found Thursday. The list of known dead now reaches 71, with 30 people identified. It is believed that many bodies are yet in the wreckage. Scores of persons are reported missing. The Union Pacific depot has been improvised as a morgue and there the bodies are gathered to await identification.

The river yesterday fell 13 inches. This makes a drop of over five feet from the high water mark.

North Topeka is a total wreck. The water is still over a greater part of the town. In the residence districts it is seven feet deep in most places.

The business part of the town is a sorrowful looking place. The fronts of most stores have openings broken through. The contents of most of the stores are ruined. The currents came rushing through with such force that they upset counters and boxes and whatever goods came in their way and dragged the goods stored high on the shelves into the water.

In nearly every building which was not washed away the contents are piled in a heap and over all there is a slime of fine sand mixed with a little mud. This deposit varies from a few inches to two or three feet.

The greatest difficulty now exists in the wretched sanitary conditions. The health board is busy with the problem of sanitation and efforts to prevent an epidemic. To this end stringent regulations are being enforced.

Topeka, Kan., June 6.—The dead in the Topeka flood now number 78. A boatman Friday afternoon reported that seven bodies had been found near the north end of Harrison street. The unfortunates were:

Mrs. Jessie Shaw and four children.

A man and woman named Shunkwerter, all from Sherry.

The water has now receded over six feet and is going down an inch every hour. In the part of town north and west of the Rock Island railroad the damage has been very great. The houses were mostly small and felt the full force of the current. The yards were swept clean of outbuildings and many of the houses turned a quarter of the way around and partially slipped from their foundations. The greater part of North Topeka is a great waste of sand, which is piled up over the streets, house floors and railroad tracks, burying the city to a depth of two or three and in some places four feet.

Generous responses are being made to the appeals for aid. From all over the country telegrams are coming authorizing the officers here to draw on various organizations for funds.

Kansas City, Mo., June 4.—The Missouri river fell seven inches yesterday and the Kansas river fell nine inches in the same time. Militiamen and police still guard all approaches to the flooded district and soldiers halt pedestrians in the residence streets late at night. Seven street car lines are in operation. The city waterworks began pumping late last night. Railroads are still giving incomplete service, but are repairing washouts.

The reports of heavy loss of life in Kansas City, Kan., are not true and the stories of bodies lying in the drift there are unfounded. The loss of property has not been overestimated, however. The entire city of Armourdale is under water, in many places 20 feet deep, and all the 16,000 inhabitants have fled. No steps have been taken to protect household goods in the deserted homes.

Kansas City, Mo., June 5.—With the rapid fall of the rivers, business is resuming its normal condition. The waterworks are pumping black water from the Kansas river not fit to drink and the danger from fire is over. Electric street car lines are in operation. Telephone and telegraph connection will be established between the two Kansas cities today.

At the stockyards 2,500 hogs and 300 cattle were drowned. A force of men is removing the carcasses where they lodged in the drift.

Kansas City, Mo., June 6.—At dark last night the water had receded from one-tenth of the flood area and the uncovered district was promptly reoccupied. The territory reclaimed included the Union depot, which suffered $25,000 damage, and a portion of the railroad yards. The recession of the flood has caused a lively demand for unskilled laborers to repair railroads, clean out buildings and carry away rubbish.

Two bodies were found yesterday under a railroad coach in the west bottoms. They were those of a Greek railroad laborer and a negro cook. The verified death list now contains ten names.

The carcasses of dead animals at the stock yards are creating a dreadful stench. The bodies are being towed into the river to float down the Missouri. There is no other means of disposing of them, for the entire stock yards district is still inundated.

St. Louis, June 5.—"At St. Louis the rate of rise will continue rapid and 33.5 feet will be reached Friday morning and 34.5 feet Saturday morning. A stage of 35 feet is forecasted for Saturday night or Sunday. Measures to protect property from a 36-foot stage by Monday should be taken." This warning was issued last night by Government Forecaster Bowie and indicates that the crest of the flood tide will not reach St. Louis for three days. Last night the register showed 32.4 feet, a rise of six inches during the day.

St. Louis, June 6.—The great flood that is sweeping down the Mississippi is steadily increasing in volume and is now being felt in St. Louis and vicinity to an alarming extent.

The stage of water reached 34.2 feet last night, a rise of seven-tenths of a foot Friday. Government Forecaster Bowie last night issued a bulletin predicting a stage of 35 feet by noon today, 36 feet by Sunday and 37 feet on Monday. The Mississippi north of the mouth of the Missouri is still rising, but the rapidity of the rise has been diminished because of the breaks in levees.

The flood forced a passage through the levee at Madison, Ill., just north of St. Louis. This levee is 15 miles long and for days men have been working to strengthen it, but the river found a weak point in a sewer main and the water broke through like a geyser.

The streets of Venice, Ill., almost opposite St. Louis, are waterways and the inhabitants go about in boats. It was the first town in this vicinity to feel the full force of this flood and has been under water for two days.

St. Joseph, Mo., June 4.—The rescuing party sent from here to Topeka, composed of 75 men with steam launches and rowboats, returned and their places will be taken by other volunteers. The St. Joseph men rescued 200 school children from the Grant school, imprisoned there since last Friday. The children were in a half-starved condition.

The rescuers shot and killed a negro caught in the act of looting deserted houses. They brought back with them the names of three identified dead.

The flood conditions here remain unchanged. The river fell one-tenth of a foot last night and remained standing today. A relief fund of $8,000 has been raised here for the flood sufferers at Topeka and Kansas City and several carloads of clothing and provisions already have been sent.

Louisiana, Mo., June 6.—The Sny levee broke just below this city yesterday and the Mississippi is now falling here at the rate of six inches per hour on account of the break. The Sny is the most important levee on the north end of the river and is 70 miles long. In some places it is 28 feet high and 80 feet across at the base. It incloses a fertile farming section from three to seven miles long, containing more than 100,000 acres.

There are several towns within the district, the population of which is probably 10,000. Many of them remain and loss of life is certain. This district has not been overflowed since 1888 and the damage will run into the millions. The break occurred at a point used by the railroad as a roadbed. It was unexpected until just before the break occurred. When seen a rush was made to repair it, but 40 yards went out and a torrent poured through.

The Textile Workers' Strike.

Philadelphia, June 6.—There were no important developments Friday in the textile strike. There was a slight flurry among the strikers when several hundred workers who went on strike on Monday and who are not organized returned to their work in the Manayunk district. The strike movement in this district is not very strong. Two more mills, one a hosiery and the other a knitting establishment, shut down and the executive board of the textile workers announced that a hosiery and a hair cloth manufacturer had granted the 55-hour week to their employes.

Arguing Against Merger.

St. Paul, June 6.—Arguments were begun Friday before Judge Lochren in the case of the state of Minnesota against the Northern Securities Co. and the roads whose control is merged in the New Jersey corporation. The arguments are based upon practically the same testimony as that in the case against the merger by the federal government. The state's case, however, is on entirely different grounds. The federal case alleged a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. The state's case is brought under a provision of the Minnesota constitution

KISHINEFF MASSACRE.

The Director of Russia's Police Gives His Version of the Affair.

New York, June 6.—The Christian Herald in reply to a cablegram sent to the czar asking for an official report of the occurrences at Kishineff has received a reply from the director of the Russian police department. The reply follows:

"Russia's agricultural and laboring population is ill at ease, living the common life with Jewish inhabitants of widely developed commercial instinct; hence there is constant antagonism, the material differences in racial and religious character coming to the verge of frenzy at the least possible occasion.

"The strained relations existing between the Russians and Jews of Bessarabia were made worse by the fact of finding in an outlying village a murdered Christian boy. This murder was attributed by the population to the Jewish ritual habits. Official denials of the ritual murder were not given credit by the peasants, who attributed other murders of Christians in the towns of Kieff and Kishineff likewise to the Jews.

"On Easter day, in the market place of Kishineff, the workers while holiday making saw a Jew strike a Christian woman, who fell to the ground, letting go her infant baby. This incident was the cause of an outburst. The workers began breaking windows and pulling down Jewish stores as a sign of protest. The police, who always leave much to be desired in provincial towns, failed to make efficacious intervention, many thousands of the mass of onlookers and holiday makers approving the riot and hindering the policemen's actions.

"After demonstrators came plunderers, the outbreak lasting from 5 in the afternoon to 10 in the evening and leaving nine Jewish bodies on the place. Night brought the disturbances to an end.

"In the end, the town having been divided into districts, with a special military command in each, the disturbances ceased on Monday evening. By this time the minister of the interior has ordered the proclamation of martial law and (an unprecedented fact) had sent the director of the police department to investigate as to the responsibilities of the local officials. In consequence, the governor, the chief of the police and some other officials were dismissed outright, many hundreds of rioters are in prison and hard work in the Siberian mines awaits them.

"The minister of the interior has issued a circular to governors all over Russia, authorizing them to make immediate use of firearms in cases of anti-Jewish disturbances. The Russian government is the first to disapprove of such horrid acts of violence, but it cannot, in compliance with the requests of a revolutionary press, give the Jews new rights of citizenship, as this would be sure to drive the Russian population to new excesses against the Jews, who are hated by the peasants with such extraordinary force."

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Storms and Floods Retarded Business During the Past Week.

New York, June 6.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Review of Trade says:

The elements provided the only unfavorable developments of the week, and while these may not prove far-reaching in their effect, the first result is seen in greater conservatism. Dispatches regarding trade conditions at the leading cities are generally encouraging. Railway earnings in May were 12.7 per cent. larger than last year and 25.4 per cent. greater than in 1901. There is still an inclination to defer the placing of contracts for iron and steel.

Textile industries show no material improvement. Sellers of cotton goods are unwilling to accept contracts for distant delivery, and even on immediate business there is little disposition to accept the prices offered. Interior trade reports are less favorable, western business being affected by floods, while drouth at the east and numerous strikes restrict consumption. Conditions as to woolen goods are practically unchanged.

Failures this week in the United States numbered 182, against 218 the corresponding week last year, and in Canada 24, against 16 last year.

Claims the Right to Condemn.

Baltimore, June 6.—Isidor Raynor, counsel for the Western Union Telegraph Co., has filed in the United States circuit court a petition for condemnation of a right of way for its poles and wires along the line of the Pennsylvania railroad between Philadelphia and Washington. The petition claims the right to condemn under an act of congress passed July 24, 1866, which provides for the right of telegraph companies to construct their systems along the postroads of the United States.

Matos in a Bad Situation.

Caracas, June 6.—The Venezuelan government has reoccupied San Felix, on the Orinoco river. This is the first step of the march of the government troops on Ciudad Bolivar. The government is concentrating strong forces near Coro, with the object of surrounding Gen. Matos' army, which is said to have been reduced to 1,000 men. It is asserted that if Matos does not escape to Curacoa he will be captured.

A Mass Meeting of Protest.

Washington, June 6.—A mass meeting attended by about 1,200 citizens of Washington was held in the Columbia theatre Friday to consider the recent outrages perpetrated on the Jews of Kishineff, Russia. Men and women of all classes and creeds united in denouncing the atrocities and in expressing their horror and indignation that they should have been permitted to occur in a civilized country at the dawn of the twentieth century. "Corporal" James Tanner, former commissioner of pensions, presided at the meeting and spoke eloquently.

THE DRY WEATHER

Has Caused Forest Fires in a Number of States.

Losses Will be Very Large—New England, New Jersey and the Adirondack Region Suffer—Flames Are Hard to Subdue.

Philadelphia, June 5.—This city and vicinity is enveloped in smoke which makes the atmosphere almost as thick as though a fog was hanging over the city. There is a strong odor of burning wood, and it is believed the presence of the smoke is due to forest fires in northern and central New Jersey.

The smoke settled down over the city at about noon. A strong northeasterly wind prevailed all day. The smoke extends across New Jersey to the coast and fully 100 miles south of this city. The hazy atmosphere was responsible for the steamer Crathorne going aground in the Delaware river, 50 miles below this city.

Glens Falls, N. Y., June 5.—In spite of the efforts of hundreds of men throughout the Adirondacks, the forest fires are spreading. The most serious fires are in the vicinity of Long Lake east, towards Newcombe Lake and Mount Marcy. Farther south fires are raging along the Centre river and at Indian Lake.

Every available man is being pressed into service. Robert Pruyn, of Albany, whose preserve lies in toward Newcomb Lake, sent a big force of men from Albany to North Creek by special train. His property, which consists of 11,000 acres, lies directly in the path of the fire.

At Lake George the ashes fell Thursday like a heavy snowfall. A dense smoke has settled over the lake, obscuring the view. Fires are reported at Silver Bay, at Hague and also in the mountains on the east side of the lake towards Lake Champlain. According to the records there have been only three-tenths of an inch of rainfall in Glens Falls since April 10.

Saratoga, N. Y., June 5.—Hundreds of men have been sent to the front to fight the fires, but they are almost powerless, as the fires appear to have got far beyond control. Several fires are in progress in the Greenfield mountains.

Plattsburg, N. Y., June 5.—A telegram from Lake Placid says that several lumber camps at South Meadows, near Cascade Lake, a big boarding house in Rogers' Brothers logging camp, about five miles from Lake Placid, and the barns of the Cascade Lake house were burned.

A report from W. H. Tracy, manager of St. Hubert's inn, says the fires are very serious near there.

Boston, June 5.—For the first time in many years the density of the smoke from forest fires produced a pronounced yellow atmosphere here yesterday. The sun was visible, but it had no more power through the smoky pall than on a cloudy day. The smoke was sufficiently dense to cause discomfort to those having sensitive throats and eyes.

It is 47 days since rain in any appreciable amount has fallen in this section, and during that time the losses from forest fires in New England have aggregated $1,000,000.

A FAMILY FEUD.

Father and Four Sons and Three Cattlemen Killed.

McCook, Neb., June 5.—Details of the annihilation of almost a whole family have been received from St. Francis, Kan.

Lincoln, Neb., June 5.—A Superior, Neb., special gives the story of the fight at St. Francis, Kan., between the Berry family and some cowboys.

Land had been taken up by old man Berry as a homestead. The fences of the cattle company interfered with his passage to and from the roads. Wire cutting on the part of the Berry family in order to get the shortest possible road to town is said to have been the original cause of the quarrel. The cowboys on the De War ranch had threatened to kill the family.

The fight resulting in the five deaths came after a recent trip of the Berry family to the town. The father and four sons were returning to their homes. Eight miles from their destination they stopped to cut their way through a wire fence. The cowboys came upon them just as they completed the work. The Berrys mounted quickly and the cowboys fired. The oldest boy, John, was wounded, but stayed in his saddle. The farmers had the freshest mounts and soon were beyond accurate rifle range. The cowboys kept up a scattering fusillade of shots.

Arriving home the Berrys did not think they had been pursued all the way and they were in front of the house when the party of cowboys rode up the hill a few yards to the north. The shooting began immediately. Two of the Berry boys were killed before they could reach their rifles. The old man and the other two boys got inside the house. There were about 20 cowboys and they started on the gallop for the house, intending to fire it and burn the defenders out. The old man and the boys attempted to escape from the other side of the house and were shot down in succession. Three of the cowboys were killed by the farmers

Millers Demand Reciprocity.

Detroit, Mich., June 5.—The Millers' National Federation, which is in convention here, on Thursday adopted resolutions demanding the speedy adoption by the national government of a liberal and comprehensive policy of reciprocity. A memorial was adopted on the subject which will be presented to President Roosevelt. Resolutions were adopted on the labor question, recognizing the right of all men to organize, but denying the right of any labor organization to demand that individuals be compelled to unite with it.

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Cameron Flowers in Chicago.

Chicago, June 8, 1903.

Editor Press:—

Perhaps it might be interesting to you or your readers to know how little is often really known of that beautiful flower which grows in such profusion on the hills of Cameron county and has been so frequently urged for adoption as the flower most appropriate for our National emblem. I refer to the laurel.

On Friday, June the fifth, Mrs. P. B. Campbell gave a Cuban Lawn Fete in Oakley Hall. Mrs. Campbell is one of the West Side society leaders and never does things by half. In speaking of the decorations for the hall a few weeks ago I suggested laurel and reminded her of a promise made earlier in the season, by Mr. S. J. Fee, to send her a bunch when they were in bloom. She was delighted with the idea and I immediately wrote Mr. Fee who generously supplied an abundance of the lovely blossoms.

The interior of the hall was decorated to represent the lawn of a Cuban Club House, Havanna, Cuba. The electric chandeliers were enclosed in crepe tissue which cast a delicate shade over the surroundings. Numerous trees and patchss of shrubbery adorned the hall and on which the laurel flowers had been so tastefully arranged that unless closely scrutinized would seem to have been placed there by nature. A calcium lamp threw light upon the principal events. The orchertra played in a bower of trees and shrubbery, bedecked with laurel.

Judging from those with whom I came in contact dnring the evening I do not believe that 20 per cent. of the guests had any idea of the nature of laurel and most of those present beheld the flowers for the first time. Some asked if those were real laurel trees and some had a vague idea that it was a vine. Still others imagined it was a plant resembling the Golden Rod. But the beauties of the blossoms seemed to impress all and manifested itself in the desire for the possession of a sprig with the result that fully two-thirds of the laurel was carried away at the close of the fete.

I do not believe that the people of Cameron couuty fully appreciate the beauty nature has bestowed upon them with such a lavish hand.

Yours respectfully,
HARRY F. JORDAN.

His Last Hope Realized.

[From the Sentinel, Globe, Mont.]

In the first opening of Oklahoma to settlers in 1889, the editor of this paper was among the many seekers after fortune who made the big race one fine day in April. During his traveling about and afterwards his camping upon his claim, he encountered much bad water, which together with the severe heat, gave him a very severe diarrhoea which it seemed almost impossible to check, and along in June the case became bad he expected to die. One day one of his neighbors brought him one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a last hope. A big dose was given him while he was rolling about on the ground in great agony, and in a few minutes the dose was repeated. The good effect of the medicine was noticed and within an hour the patient was taking his first sound sleep for a fortnight. That one little bottle worked a complete cure, and he cannot help but feel grateful. The season for bowel disorders being at hand suggests this item. For sale by L. Taggart.

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First Fork.

Irve Kimball lost a horse valued at $250, a few days since.

The first rain of any account in about two months came on Sunday and was very welcome, as all crops were suffering, especially grass.

Corn and potatoes have been very backward about coming up, for lack of moisture, and small fruits will be a light crop from same cause.

M. J. Colcord and family of the Potter Journal, were visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity, a couple of days last week, and put in the most of their time at his father's, D. D. Colcord, M. D.

Tanners are "husking bark" from their next season's stock of logs, and the mill as a consequence is at a standstill. Said deponent, don't know whether they are going to start a tannery. Brobst's mill is also idle for want of stock, and other reasons.

Nathan Bailey who lived at the mouth of Bailey Run 50 years ago, died in Wis., some time in April, aged 83. A. J. Bailey, of Alamagordo, N. M., is the only surviver of that branch of the Bailey family, three of whom have died within a year, viz: Mrs. Ruth Barclay, Mrs. Geo. Gates. and Nathan Bailey.

Barclay Bro's are putting in a camp in Muley Run, and are going to peel in that and Rattlesnake Run, and expect to finish up their standing timber on this stream this season. Probably next spring will be the last driving on this stream And is it about time, for the water is getting too bad for even log-floaters to work in.

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ANOTHER FREE DISTRIBUTION.

L. Taggart Received More Samples of Mi-o-na.

The advertisement of the distribution of samples of Mi-o-na, the great dyspepsia cure, published in the PRESS of last month was so successful that the supply was soon exhausted and many people were disappointed. In order to fulfill their offer the proprietors of Mi-o-na have sent several hundred more samples to L. Taggart and any one by cutting out the following coupon and presenting it at his store, can obtain without charge a two day's treatment of this great dyspepsia remedy.

COUPON.

This coupon, if presented at my store, entitles the holder to a two day's' treatment of Mi-o-na, the great dyspepsia cure.

L. TAGGART.

This distribution of samples shows more conclusively than anything else possibly could the great merit of this remedy. If Mi-o-na did not do all that is claimed for it the distribution of samples would be the most foolish way the proprietors could take to advertise it.

Many people prefer to buy a 50 cent box intead of trying a sample, as L Taggart agrees to refund the money if the remedy does not give perfect satisfaction, so that the purchaser runs no risk whatever.

Go early to-day to L. Taggart's store with your coupon, for while the supply of samples is large yet the many calls will soon exhaust it. 16-2t.

When a man is going to the dogs he usually meets the dogs about half way.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Is everywhere recognized as the one remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant to take. It is especially valuable for summer diarrhoea in children and is undoubtedly the means of saving the lives of a great many children each year. For sale by L. Taggart.

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Teachers Wanted.

We need at once a few more teachers. both experienced and inexperienced, We have more calls this year than ever before. Schools and colleges supplied with competent teachers free of cost. Address with stamp.

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The Eureka Mfg. Co., of East St Louis, Ill., want a man with rig to introduce Poultry Mixture in this county. They guarantee $3 50 a day to a good worker and they furnish bank reference of their reliability. Send stamp for particulars. Eureka Mfg. Co., Box 99, East St. Louis, Ill. 46-1-ly.

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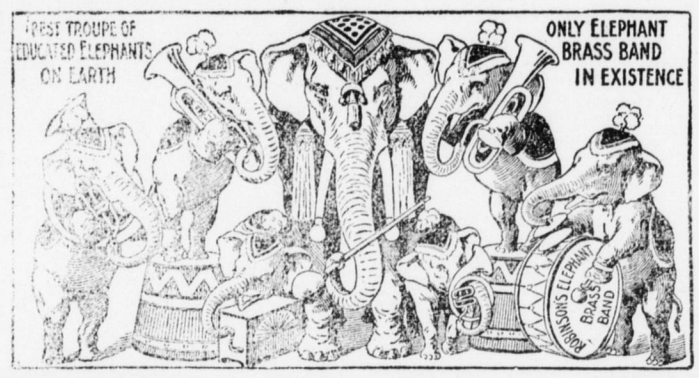

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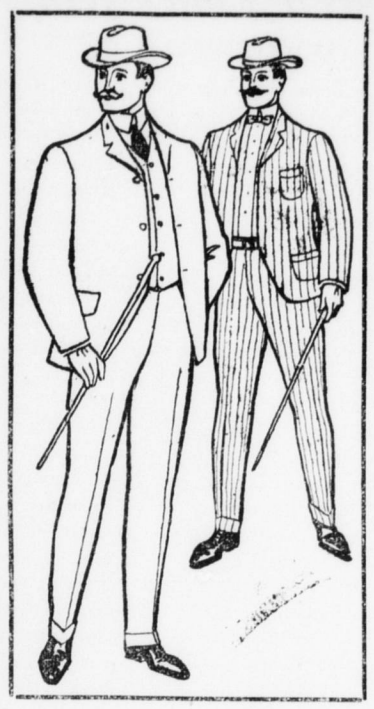

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Coutributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

Mr. Allen Baldwin and wife left on Tuesday to visit in Canada.

Miss Barber, of DuBois, was guest of Miss Marion Larrabee over Sunday.

Geo. B. Barclay, of Sinnamahoning, transacted business in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gleason, and Miss Mattie M. Collins visited in town yesterday.

Wm. Carter who has resided at Sterling Run for the past year has returned to Emporium.

Edward Bupp and wife, occupy rooms in the Tulis block, having moved therin last week.

Clifton Larrabee came home from Philadelphia on Sunday to spend a few days with his parents.

W. L. Sykes and Geo. A Walker, Jr., left on Monday for West Va., to inspect a large tract of timber.

Fred Huntington attended commencement exercises of Wilson College at Chambersburg last week.

Sheriff Hemphill was able to be out Tuesday for the first time in ten days, after a severe time with lumbago.

Philip Bloom and wife, of St. Marys spent Sunday in town guest of Wm. Hackenburg and wife on Fifth street.

J. B. Schriever, wife and daughter, Miss Irene, of Scranton, are spending a few days with their old friends in town.

Prof. H. B. Patton, of Lancaster, in the interest of the State Anti Saloon League, was in town last Friday and Saturday.

Miss Isabelle Robinson graduated from the Training School for Nurses at Christ Hospital, Jersey City, a few days ago.

Dr. Albra W. Baker and wife returned on Monday from New York city, where they passed a delightful visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lord, of Friendship, N. Y., who have been visiting Herbert Day and wife, returned to their home on Tuesday of last week.

Master Frankie Huffman, of Woodland Ave., celebrated his 10th birthday on Tuesday, with twenty guests, from two to five. It was a pleasant occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chilson, of Renovo, visited in Emporium this week, being called here on account of the death of Mrs. Chilson's grand-mother, Susan Thayer. The PRESS goes to their new home.

Theo. Corwin, formerlv of Emporium, but late a resident of Williamsport, in employ of Penn'a R. R., has been promoted and is now located at Sunbury. His mother has moved to that place.

Mrs. Helen Van Antwerp and Miss Ella Teese, of Monticello, N. Y., who have been guests at Emmanuel Rectory for several months, returned to their home on Monday, accompanied by Miss Grace Robinson.

Miss Grace Leighton, of Emporium has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Connolly for a few days and receiving treatment from Dr. Otto. Miss Leighton's health is vey poor this spring her many friends will be sorry to learn.—Port Allegany Reporter.

Mr. Andrew Brady rode to Smethport on Tuesday in his auto.

Col. J. O. Brookbank, of Driftwood, transacted business in town yesterday.

Mrs. J. M. Johnston and son, of Austin, are guests of Mrs. Fred Julian.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Haffley, of Renovo, are guests of J. W. Norie and wife.

Father Becker, of Port Allegany, was guest of Father Downey yesterday.

Dr. F. G. Reick is negotiating for the purchase of Iron Company house on Sixth street.

C. G. Minnick, of Ridgway, was circulating around town on Monday, calling on old friends.

John Schwab, of Sterling Run, clerk for John E. Smith, was visiting in Emporium last evening.

Miss Cora Barker, who has been laid up the past week suffering with erysipelas, is much improved we are pleased to note.

Almeron Chapman hopes to attend the re-union of the Pennsylvania Reserves at Harrisburg, June 22. It will be the final rally.

Mrs. Thos. MacGregor, of Manitowaning, Canada, is visiting her parents, Henry Robinson and family, during the summer months.

Miss Mary Murphy leaves to-morrow for her home at Luthersburg, after a very enjoyable visit with her relatives, Michael Murphy and family.

Mrs. D. R. Branson, *nee* Margaret MrcDonald, left on Monday for her home at DuBois. The PRESS follows her, being a letter from home once a

Mrs. Elmer Kaye, of Westboro, Wis., who came here last week with Mr. Jos. Kaye and daughter, will remain here some time, guest of J. W. Norie and wife.

Michael Murphy is going to quit wearing a derby hat. He does not want it mistaken again for that of one of the girl's particular beaux and trimmed in the gayest kind of style.

Mrs. Elizabeth Howard returned last Saturday from St. Agnes School, Albany, N. Y., where she attended the graduation of her daughter, Miss Encie, who also returned home.

Mrs. Theo. Hudson, of Johnsonburg, visited her father and many friends in town several days last week and attended the consecration services at Emmanuel church.

Daniel Webster and wife returned on Monday from visiting at Austin, Galeton and Wharton. While at Wharton, Mr. Chas. O. Miller and wife dove Mr. Webster and wife to a good trout stream. They enjoyed their visit greatly.

Rev. Robert McCaslin, officiated at Milton on Sunday.

The PRESS will supply any of our citizens with garden seeds by the asking.

Dr. Bardwell removed a small tumor from W. A. Auchu's head, one day this week.

Hon. J. C. Johnson will attend the Hickok-Cochran wedding at Williamsport, this evening.

A. P. Van Gilder, the new Climax manager, was a pleasant business caller at PRESS office yesterday.

Ed. Hillyard and W. A. Auchu will leave on Monday for Oregon—possibly to remain, if the climate suits them.

Fewer gallons; wears longer; Devoe.

Good Pasture to let. Inquire of J. H. Day.

All Smokers smoke the 'W. H. Mayer" hand made cigar, the best five cent cigar on the market. Be sure you ask for it. 24-tf.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of thanking all our neighbors and friends for their kindness toward us at the time of the death of our grandmother, Susan Spangler.

HER GRAND-CHILDREN.

Philadelphia Press:—If the Democrats should nominate for Auditor General Senator Dewalt, who voted against he press muzzler in opposition to Senator Snyder, who voted for it, Chairman Hall, of the Democratic State Committee, who didn't vote on either side, may have to get up a neutral ticket.

Worst of all Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years." she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by L. Taggart, Druggist.

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Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are just what you need when you have no appetite, feel dull after eating and wake up with a bad taste in your mouth. They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach and give you a relish for your food. For sale by L. Taggart.

BRIEF MENTION.

The festivals at Mr. McQuay's nnd Mr. Jordan's last week were very successful. Their cream was entirely sold out and neat sums realized.

The United Society of Christian Endeavor will hold an ice cream and cake social on Rev. M. McCaslin's lawn Saturday evening, June 13th.

The gallant ticket seller at the Junction is bewailing the giving out of a dollar too much change. It was a pretty girl buying a ticket to Cameron.

The candy club girls are making a wonderful success of the soda water fountain. They take to it, as gleefully as robins to a tree of ripe cherries.

Extensive repairs and improvements are being made at Emporium tannery, which keeps Supt. Norris busy. The company houses on "Tannery Row" have been treated to new roofs.

WANTED.—First class flour packers. Wages $15 to $16.50 per week. Steady employment. None but experienced men need apply. Address New York City Milling Co., Produce Exchange, New York City.

Our girls are not only the prettiest and loveliest in this section of the country, but they can cook and serve the daintiest meals, make the nicest ice cream, and think nothing of holding a twelve pound maul at arms length twenty seconds, without a tremble.

Miss Lora McQuay's Sunday school class will hold a fish pond social at her residence Friday afternoon. Five cents a fish. All the little people are invited, particularly the grown up ones who have lots of nickels. Everybody will have a jolly time and the proceeds will go to the church building fund.

True greatness is always full of kindness, and when President Roosevelt met in the Salem (Oregon) depot, a little girl being carried upon a stretcher, he showed his high character by stopping to say a kindly word and give the little one a kiss to cheer her in her days of pain. Such acts become a ruler better than a crown.

Sedate Pennsylvanians are congratulating themselves at present over the coming retirement of Matthew Stanley Quay from politics. It is to be feared that such rejoicing are premature. Senator Quay is a born politican, and when he retires from politics it will be but a few days in advance of his funeral.—Brooklyn Times.

An exchange says that D. L. Gilliland, of Ellisburg, who has for some months been employed as machinist for the Cameron Lumber company, at Cameron, is suffering from a broken leg. Mr. Gilliland and a companion were indulging in a friendly scuffle, when in some unaccountable manner the accident ocurred. He is now at his home.

Some one kept count upon the pageantry of Fifth avenue, New York, as it glittered by on a Sunday afternoon, and in an honr he recorded 71 dogs on the laps of finely dressed women, and in the same time 19 children, which calis forth the following comment from an exchange: The cold, hard, brutal truth of the matter is, that a whole lot of women are better fitted to bring up dogs than they are to bring up children.

A man's religion is a matter between himself and his creator. It would be a noble and genuine acceptance of the teaching of Christ if all denominations assuming to follow. His recepts could be amalgamated. Heaven speed the consummation. But three great denominations in this land are yet divided sectionally, and less forgiveness and forgetting of the schism of the civil was exist in these churches than among the men who faced each other on the battlefield.—Post.

Letter to Frank Pearsall.

Emporium, Pa.

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FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
THIS WEEK

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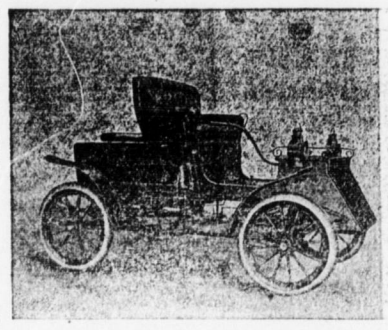

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How I love the dear old haymow
And the perfume of the hay,
And to listen to the sparrows
In the rafters hard at play;
And to watch the dancing dust motes,
Sometimes yellow, sometimes blue,
Hurrying out the little knot hole
Where the sun comes peepin' through;

And to hear the cattle munching
In the comfortable stall,
And to see the calves a' romping,
Now and then to hear them bawl;
Then to see the mother coming
With a willow switch or shoe,
And watch her through the knot hole
Where the sun comes peepin' through!

Then to tread the horseless thrasher,
And turn the fanning mill,
And climb up to the pigeon nests—
And sit there awful still;
Then spy the folks upon the porch,
And wish they only knew
What fun to watch them through the knot hole
Where the sun comes peepin' through!

How I wish I could live over
Those scenes which come to me,
Through the long and winding alley
Of my clouded memory;
And hear the voice of dear mother,
With a tenderness so true,
And watch her through the knot hole
Where the sun comes peepin' through!
—W. A. Engard, in Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

The KIDNAPPED MILLIONAIRES

A Tale of Wall Street and the Tropics

By FREDERICK U. ADAMS

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CHAPTER XXIV.—CONTINUED.

Before Chalmers could say a word, Capt. Waters opened the door and went away.

It was as Capt. Waters said. Hestor was in a hospital. A bullet had plowed its way along the left side of his head, barely missing the temple. The skull was slightly fractured, and there had been a hemorrhage from the brain. When conscious, the patient was wildly delirious. Chalmers left instructions that everything should be done for his comfort. The hospital physicians gave little hope. Chalmers secured the best medical talent in New Orleans and wired the facts to a famous New York specialist. He then rejoined his companions at the hotel.

The afternoon papers contained accounts of the tragedy, and related the story of the surrender of Capt. Waters. Before leaving for New York, a conference was held in Sidney Hammond's room. It was the consensus of opinion that Capt. Waters had acted in good faith, and that he was not deserving of pun-

CAPT. WATERS OPENED THE DOOR AND WENT AWAY.

ishment. Sidney agreed to obtain bail for him, and for the other officers of the "Shark." On Monday bail was fixed at $10,000 for Capt. Waters, and at $5,000 each for the arrested officers. Mr. Hammond furnished the necessary securities and was accepted as bondsman. For a time Capt. Waters refused to accept bail. He preferred to stand punishment. Sidney argued with him for a long time. He explained that it might be months before a trial would be held. Capt. Waters finally consented to accept bail. He went to a hotel near the jail, and reported regularly three times a day at police headquarters. No argument could convince him that this was not the right thing to do.

Col. John McIntyre was the sole passenger on the "Helen Carmody" when she steamed past the forts and out into the Gulf of Mexico. In his big leather pocketbook was a check bearing the signature of Andrus Carmody. The amount was entirely satisfactory to Col. McIntyre.

The homecoming of the marooned millionaires was an event never to be forgotten by those who participated in or witnessed it. It began at New Orleans. A special train from New York, containing hundreds of relatives and friends dashed into the Crescent city early the following morning. Those who have followed the events portrayed in these pages can imagine the joy of the greeting between the lost ones and those they loved. Great crowds surrounded the hotel, and would not be satisfied until the principals appeared on the the balcony. The mayor made a speech and introduced each man in turn. Sidney Hammond received an ovation as he stepped forward; one sleeve of his coat hung vacant at his side. Nor was the greeting to Bernard Seymour less cordial. There were repeated calls for Miss Carmody, and when that young lady appeared on the arm of her father, the demonstration reached its climax.

In a remote part of the city, white-robed nurses hovered over a man whose staring eyes showed no gleam of sanity. His head was in bandages and he muttered incoherent phrases as he tossed in a fever of delirium.

Among those who greeted the returned castaways at New Orleans was Robert Van Horne, editor of the Record, who arrived in New York in time to take the special train south. Mr. Van Horne did not return to New York with the happy throng. He brought with him three of the most famous specialists in the country, and soon stood at the bedside of Walter B. Hestor. Mr. Van Horne alone knew the recent history of the man who now hovered between life and death. He gave the physicians the essential facts in the case.

A year or more before Hestor had been injured in China. While conducting an expedition into the interior of that country his party had been ambuscaded, and in the melee which followed Hestor was knocked senseless by a blow on the forehead, delivered with great force by some blunt instrument. The attacking Tartars were driven off. The immediate effects of the blow were slight, but several months later Hestor had a severe attack of acute traumatic meningitis, from which he apparently fully recovered after a long illness. Later he complained to Mr. Van Horne that his head troubled him. He explained some strange symptoms and was much worried. Acting on Mr. Van Horne's advice, Hestor consulted a specialist in brain diseases. He was informed that in all probability a clot of blood from a ruptured blood vessel had formed and was pressing against the brain tissue. Hestor agreed to submit to an operation, but postponed it and went on another cruise. He suffered no further attack, and the incident was forgotten by Mr. Van Horne. It was vividly recalled when Chalmers wired his suspicions.

An examination at the hospital disclosed the fact that the Seymour bullet had plowed its course past the point where Hestor had sustained the blow some 14 months before. Without going into details of surgery, it is sufficient to say that the gun shot wound exposed and partially relieved the blood clot; the existence of which had been suspected. It was successfully removed. For a month Hestor hovered on the border line, and then slowly moved away from the danger point. Sidney Hammond and Mr. Van Horne alternated in remaining in New Orleans until he was on the road to recovery.

Hestor had no recollection of events subsequent to the Chinese expedition. In his delirium he imagined himself at the head of his men in that far-away Celestial empire. When he awoke from this fantasy, clothed in his right mind, he recognized Sidney Hammond and greeted him with a pleased but mystified smile.

"How came you here, dear old fellow?" he asked as he reached out a wasted hand. "What are you doing in China? What is the matter with me? Ah, I remember now! That pig-tailed beggar hit me on the head. But where did you come from, Sidney?"

Sidney made a non-committal answer and warned Hestor that he must not talk or disturb himself in any way until he regained his strength. During the period of convalescence Hestor's curiosity was too great to be denied, and Sidney evolved a wonderful fabrication, which gave a rational explanation of how Hestor happened to be in New Orleans, rather than in some city of the flowery kingdom. It was apparent Hestor did not believe or understand this statement; but like all invalids, he was compelled to accept with the best possible grace what was offered him.

The physicians in charge of the case prepared a statement in which it was set forth that Mr. Hestor had been suffering from a clearly-defined attack of amnesia, preceded by a period of mild dementia. It possessed many remarkable features, but was by no means unprecedented.

"Do you believe his recovery a permanent one, doctor?" asked Sidney, anxiously.

"Quien sabe?" replied Dr. Brown. "There is no reason why it should not be a permanent one. The cause is removed, and Hestor is now apparently in full possession of his faculties. He is a strong, healthy man, and there is no taint of insanity in his family. The truth must be kept from him until he has entirely regained his physical strength. He should take a long ocean cruise, in company with some one in whom he has complete confidence. That means you."

When these facts were explained to Mr. Morton and his associates, they were unanimous in a decision to take no legal steps against Mr. Hestor, or against Capt. Waters. They were satisfied to await Hestor's complete recovery, and were confident that he would make honorable amends when acquainted with the facts.

One afternoon Sidney informed Hestor that the physicians had advised an ocean cruise, and that he would be permitted to go on board the "Shark" in about two weeks. Hestor urged that he should go to New York and attend to certain business affairs. This was not listened to, and it was finally arranged that Hestor give Mr. Hammond power of attorney to look after such matters as required attention. Mr. Van Horne took Sidney's place while the latter was in New York.

All of Mr. Hestor's property was in interest-bearing securities, and these required little or no attention. Mr. Chalmers had not made public his suspicions concerning Hestor's Wall street operations, neither had any statement been made by Mr. Morton or others. Sidney found a record of the various transactions in a safety deposit vault. He then called on Street & Rogers and presented his credentials. Their books showed that Walter B. Hestor had a credit of $32,000,000. He had originally purchased 700,000 shares of stock, and had issued instructions which had been strictly carried out. The money was due from various banks, trust companies, commission and brokerage houses. Street & Rogers had decided not to force payments, fearing to disturb the money market. Mr. Hammond indorsed this course and instructed them to gradually convert the credits into interest-bearing securities.

Thus it happened, one fine September afternoon, that the steam yacht "Shark" sailed down the river from New Orleans, destined for the waters of the South Pacific. On board were Walter B. Hestor, Sidney Hammond, L. Sylvester Vincent and Bernard Seymour. Mr. Vincent and Mr. Seymour were present at Mr. Hammond's invitation, and Hestor was delighted with his new acquaintances. Vincent had a wonderful venture on hand which demanded his presence in southern waters, and Mr. Seymour proposed to gather the materials for a book, which, he asserted, "would make them all sit up nights." And on the deck of the "Shark," with Capt. Waters once more in command, this narrative will leave them.

The later events in the lives of these characters must be relegated to some future chapters. It may be said in closing that the doors of the Carmody mansion were not closed to Mr. William Chalmers, managing editor of the New York Record.

[THE END.]

Wrote Book While Waiting for Wife.

Madame de Genlis, in a work on "Time," tells us that the famous Chancellor D'Aguesseau, observing that his wife always delayed 10 or 13 minutes before she came down to dinner, and, reluctant to lose so much time daily, began the composition of a work which he prosecuted only while thus kept waiting. At the end of 15 years, a book in three quarto volumes was completed, which ran through three editions, and was held in high repute. Madame de Genlis profited by this example. Having to wait at the dinner hour in the Palais Royal for Madame de Chartres, who was always 15 or 20 minutes late, she utilized the time by copying a selection of poems from eminent authors. It is told of a German critic that he could repeat the entire "Iliad" of Homer with scarcely an error. How many years, think you, did he spend in depositing the immortal epic in his brain? Years he had not to spare, or months, or weeks, or even entire days, for he was a physician in the full tide of practice; but he contrived to store in his memory the 24 books of the old bard of "Scio's rocky isle" in the brief, disconnected snatches of time while hurrying from one patient to another. Dr. Mason Good, a celebrated English physician, performed a similar feat, having contrived to translate the whole of Lucretius during his long walks in London to visit his patients.—William Mathews, in Sucess.

He Was an Irishman.

A fine specimen of the bull is to be credited to Sir Thomas Myles, an eminent Irish surgeon and an ex-president of the College of Surgeons in Ireland. He made it in the course of a speech delivered at the meeting of the Solicitors' Apprentices' Debating society in Dublin. The subject of the address was "Cecil Rhodes." Sir Thomas paid a high tribute to the force of character, the spirit of personal independence, and the indomitable courage of Englishmen. He pictured the British empire as having been in danger at the time of the late war, and asked with emphasis, "Was England to stand with her arms folded and her hands in her pockets?" When he realized from the attitude of his audience what he had done, he observed that his only apology was that he was an Irishman. —London News.

Spoke From Experience.

A man who tried to uphold all his statements with the prop of personal experience is pretty sure sooner or later to find himself in difficulties.

"What kind of posts should you say I'd better have for my piazza?" asked a summer resident of the oracle of Bushville. "Cedar?"

"No," was the instant reply; "not 'less you want to pay for poor stuff. Git pine. Pine will last ye a hundred years."

"Are you sure?" asked the summer resident, doubtfully.

"Sure!" echoed the oracle. "I never state a thing without I can prove it. I've tried 'em both. Tried 'em twice on my south porch, I tell ye!"—Youth's Companion.

Those Who Roost.

Newcome—They tell me hens never lay eggs at night. Did you know that?

Subbubs—Oh! yes.

"Strange, isn't it?"

"Not at all. All the hens are roosters at night, you know."—Philadelphia Press.

One Trouble.

"Of course," said Nuritch, self-complacently, "it's something to be a self-made man, but then it's got its drawbacks."

"That's so," replied Peppery. "You can't blame it on anybody else, for instance."—Philadelphia Press.

THE DUKE OF AOSTA.

One of the Most Unpopular Members of Italy's Royalty.

He Would Become the Unwelcome Ruler of the Kingdom Should Victor Emmanuel Die Without Male Issue.

The queen of Italy and the czarina of Russia would be happier than they are to-day and they would rise immensely in popular favor if that mystical bird, the stork, had been kinder and more considerate and had left sons instead of daughters in the royal palaces in which these ladies live. The czarina has disappointed the hopes of the people four times by presenting daughters to the czar and the two children of the young queen of Italy are both daughters. The sooner the stork manifests a higher degree of consideration for the situation in which these royal ladies are placed and grants them sons the happier they and their husbands and a great army of their subjects will be.

The throne of Italy can descend only to the male heirs of the king and if King Victor Emmanuel should die without a son his successor would be the duke of Aosta, who is not at all in favor with the people of Italy, and there would be no end of discontent if he should become king. The duke is 34 years of age. He is the eldest son of the late Prince Amadeus, a brother of King Humbert and ex-king of Spain. His wife was Princess Helene of Orleans, a daughter of the late count of Paris, and they have two sons, Amadeus and Aimon, so that if the duke should succeed to the throne it would probably remain permanently in his family.

The duke and his wife are a handsome pair, says the Detroit Free Press. But one may also see in the face of the handsome young duke

THE DUKE OF AOSTA.
(Heir Presumptive to the Throne of the Italian Kingdom.)

signs of the haughty arrogance and the unyielding spirit that have helped to make him unpopular throughout Italy. He would probably be a hard man to deal with, and the people of Italy are hoping and even praying that he may never be their ruler, and it will be a great day in Italy if the beautiful Queen Helene should some time present the king with a son. The duke of Aosta would be the one man in Italy who would not rejoice over an event of this kind. Should he succeed to the throne he might realize in his own experience the truth of the old saying that "Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown," for his life would not be a very happy one in the face of the strong and unyielding prejudice of the Italian people. A kingly career is not one of continual smooth sailing, even when one is in high favor with one's subjects, and it is a career of much anxiety and unhappiness when one is ruler in opposition to the wishes of his people. So here's hoping that the stork is even now on his way to the royal palace of Italy with a lusty young son to gladden the hearts of the king and queen and the hearts of the people of Italy.

Vibration Stops Hatching.

"An egg in the process of hatching," says an expert, "is remarkably sensitive to vibration. Half the failures that amateurs encounter in hatching out chicks by an incubator method are due to lack of precaution in providing against the effect of vibration on the eggs. The rumblé of a train or the passage of a wagon along the street will spoil a whole incubator full of eggs, if the faintest vibratory wave reaches the apparatus. Even such a little thing as the banging of a door in some other part of the house will destroy the chances of hatching out a brood, where care has not been taken to place the incubator beyond the reach of such disturbances. A thunderstorm always gives breeders a scare, as thousands of eggs may be spoiled by a sudden heavy thunder clap. To sneeze or cough in the vicinity of the incubators will sometimes work a disastrous result."

Plague Spread by Rats.

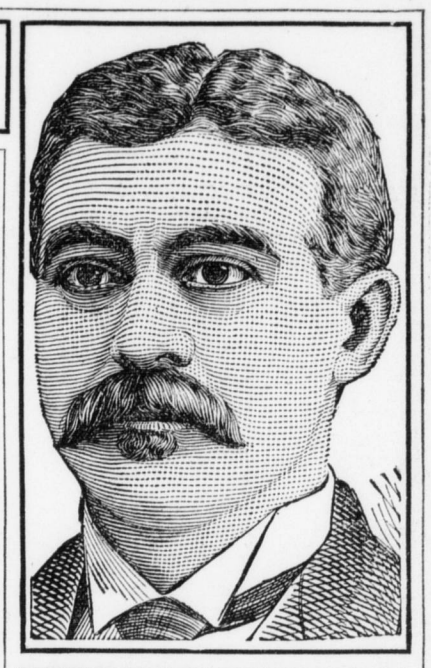
The bubonic plague has become so alarming in Sydney, N. S. W., that the city authorities regularly employ five men to visit the residences and catch rats. The average number of rats trapped by each man is 28 a week. It is believed that the rodents spread the disease by roaming from house to house.

Prescriptions by Telephone.

It is illegal in Germany for physicians to dictate prescriptions to druggists through the telephone. Fatal misunderstandings are likely to result from the practice, therefore the interdictory law was enacted

REGISTER OF THE U. S. TREASURY USES PE-RU-NA FOR SUMMER CATARRH.

Summer Catarrh Afflicts Men and Women.



Hon. Judson W. Lyons.

HON. JUDSON W. LYONS, Register of the United States treasury, in a letter from Washington, D. C., says:

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Miss Camilla Chartier, 5 West Lexington St., Baltimore, Md., writes:

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Summer Catarrh.

Mrs. Kate Bohn, 1119 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes:

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Lively Occupation.

To one unfamiliar with country nomenclature the question asked by the young man might not seem wholly unnatural.

"And were you never in the country during the season of husking-bees, Mr. S—?" asked the young lady.

"No. The idea! How do you husk a bee, anyway?"—Philadelphia Press.

Many a high wall conceals a garden filled with weeds.—Town Topics.

It's a lucky baby that looks like a rich relative.—Chicago Daily News.

It is never worth while arguing about the religion you haven't got.—Ram's Horn.

He is well entertained who is the guest of happy thoughts.—United Presbyterian.

"He proposed to her for fun." "Well?" "His ideas of humor have been materially changed."—Town Topics.

Uncle Reuben Says: If yo' will take note, yo' will find dat de lazier a man am de mo' rabbits he expects his dawg to cotch.—Detroit Free Press.

The Doctor—"Didn't I say he was to avoid all excitement?" The Patient's Wife—"Yes; that's what got him excited."—Town and Country.

There is a maxim of unfailing truth, that nobody ever pries into another man's concerns, but with a design to do, or to be able to do him a mischief.—South.

Miss Woodby—"Really, you don't think that I'd consider for a minute a proposal from him, do you?" Miss Newitt—"Oh, no. Of course you wouldn't take that long."—Philadelphia Press.

"Now, Hiram Simpson, did you meet any bonco man while you was in th' city?" "I did, Samantha; an' worse." "Worse! Why, Hiram Simpson?" "Thet's what I did. I called a policeman an' he took what th' other gentleman fergot."—Baltimore News.

Housewife (to tramp)—"If you saw that wood I will give you ten cents." Tramp—"My dear woman, I assure you I would be happy to favor you, but see if I did that job for ten cents I'd be prosecuted under the new anti-trust law for charging you less than I charge your neighbors."—Boston Commercial Bulletin.

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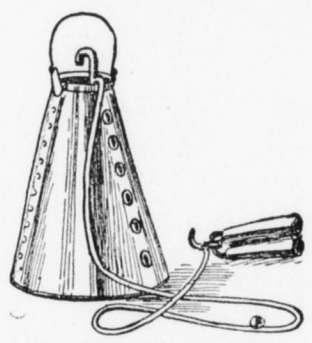
NEW MILKING DEVICE.

As an Object of Curiosity It Is of Interest, Whatever Its Practical Value May Be.

The latest milking machine is here pictured in outline. It requires an engine or other power to drive it in order to work the vacuum air pump located at some convenient point. From this a line of iron gas pipe is run above the stalls in the milking shed. This pipe is used only to exhaust the air in the milk buckets. No liquid passes through it. A small branch pipe terminating in a hook is fitted to the main pipe and hangs over the stall about two feet above the cow's back.

The bucket is shown in the figure, and is air tight, the top being closed



MECHANICAL MILKER.

with a lid, clamped securely in place by simply raising the handle to lift the bucket. All that is needed to make connection is the mere hanging of the bucket on the pipe above the cow by a hook attached to the milk pail for that purpose, as shown in the cut. This is an ordinary pail with a tight lid and glass peepholes down the sides so that the milk can be seen. A rubber tube runs to the cups attached to the cow's teats. Between the cups is a valve and chamber about the size of a hen's egg which really constitutes the effective part of the machine.

The machine is set to work by a simple turn of the valve and the suction holds it in place until the milking is finished. The valves and the cups weigh about two pounds and one man can use four or five of them to advantage in a large dairy. The machine is cleansed by passing cold water through the hose and tubes a few moments. All parts of the bucket may be cleansed with a brush. The cups are new and novel in their action. They are so constructed that they collapse at the top first and thus compress the base of the teat and strip the milk, as by hand. It requires from two and one-half to ten minutes to milk a cow. With proper equipment one man can readily handle 50. The makers claim a cow may be milked perfectly clean and there is no tendency to dry up the flow of milk.—Orange Judd Farmer.

ESTABLISHED FACTS.

Eight Points Concerning Milk That Have Been Established by Exhaustive Experiments.

Some things may be said to have been well established concerning milk by long and exhaustive experiments, which we will enumerate as follows:

1. If milk rich in butter fat is desired we must breed for it. It is entirely dependent upon the individuality of the cow, so that men have finally established that individuality into a breed characteristic, as with the Jersey and Guernsey breeds.

2. A bull belonging to a butter breed will impart this quality to his heifers if he has sufficient prepotency. Also a bull belonging to a breed which gives milk low in percentage of butter fat will impart that quality to his heifers.

3. It is not possible to increase the percentage of butter fat in milk by feeding food rich in fat, although that is the general idea with hosts of farmers.

4. A food rich in protein increases the quantity but not the quality of the milk. But by inducing the cow to give a larger quantity we may also induce her to yield more butter fat in 24 hours than she otherwise would have done.

5. Sudden changes in the time of feeding or character of the food, or sudden changes in the temperature, or exposure of the cow to cold rainstorms, or to brutal usage—all these affect the percentage of butter fat in milk. It may be mentioned also that some milkers affect cows favorably or unfavorably in this respect.

6. The milk of a cow does not, as a rule, reach its highest richness until after she has had her calf.

7. Milking three times in 24 hours has been found to increase somewhat the amount of butter fat production.

8. For the consumption of infants the milk of a herd of cows is safer and more digestible than that of a single cow, for the reason that it is less liable to variation from nervousness and other causes.—Hoard's Dairyman.

What Box Irrigation Does.

In some parts of the west box irrigation is practical as a cheap method of saving fruit trees, vines and gardens from drought. The boxes are made of rough planks, usually about six inches in length, and inserted in holes a foot or more in depth, a few inches from the tree or plants to be irrigated. Water is filled in the boxes and left to find its way to the roots. This places the water where it will do the most good, precludes the possibility of waste and overcomes the objections to surface irrigation.

VALUE OF THE SILO.

As Important in Animal Husbandry as the Improved Barn or Corn Crib.

The use of the silo as an economic institution of the farm has been exemplified the last winter in many farming sections I have visited. Almost without exception, wherever I have gone, I have seen more or less unhusked corn standing in the fields, exposed to the wind, rain and snow, and to the hungry tribute gatherings of mice and crows. The valuable food elements of the fodder are, of course, the ones most soluble, and moisture cannot fall upon and run off of any ripened forage without carrying away with it some of the most easily available elements of nutrition. Fodder so exposed to the weather cannot be compared in feeding value with that early husked and stored, as any feeder who has fed the two kinds in comparison well knows. The good results from that consumed are much less, compared to the results from the early stored, while the amount refused by the animals is very much more.

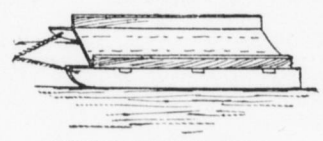
These losses resulting from the corn exposed in the shock to the fall and winter weather are so extreme that the saving that would have been effected had the corn been ensilaged is so apparent that it is not necessary to further enlarge upon it. But the corn saved in the silo has the further intrinsic value of being much more thoroughly saved at the very height of its perfection so that it is easy to count it as having double the feeding value of the other. It must be remembered also that corn cut for the silo is cut clear to the root or as close to it as possible, whereas that cut and shocked to be husked usually has a stubble from one foot to three feet long left on the field. This is all lost as feed. In the silo it is all saved.

The fact that corn is our greatest crop, most easily and profitably raised, and that by stirring it in the silo its fullest feeding value is obtained, and as a result the live stock capable of being kept on a given number of acres may be almost doubled, it seems strange that the silo among intelligent farmers is not considered as necessary in animal husbandry as the barn or the corn crib.—W. F. McSparran, in N. Y. Tribune-Farmer.

FARM MANURE SLED.

For Cleaning a Stable This Device Is Highly Recommended by Those Who Have Used It.

My barn is 62 feet long and has two rows of stanchions, with 18 cows in each row. Cleaning out the manure has been a problem, but I have solved it by the use of a sled. I hook a horse



STRONG MANURE SLED.

to a specially made sled, driving back of the cows. All the manure 18 cows will make in 16 hours, I haul in one load to the hog lot. I have a ten-foot pole on which I draw the runner of the sled to about the center of the manure pile, when the sled is tipped over with the pole, and returned to draw the next load. The sled is six by two and one-half feet with two by six-inch runners, six-inch sideboards, and solid board floor, with chain from each runner attached to single tree. Pine wood is used, which is well spiked tightly together.—E. H. Boody, in Farm and Home.

TIMELY DAIRY NOTES.

Salt should be always accessible.

Do not allow dogs, cats or loafers to be around at milking time.

All persons who milk the cows should have the finger nails cut closely.

Keep the stable and dairy room in good condition by fresh air and cleanliness.

Do not change the feed suddenly.

Clean and thoroughly air stable before milking.

Milk with dry hands and never allow the hands to come into contact with the milk.

Whitewash the stable once or twice a year. Use land plaster in the manure gutters daily.

Use no dry, dusty feed just previous to milking; if fodder is dusty sprinkle it before it is fed.

If cover is left off the can a piece of cloth or mosquito netting should be used to keep out insects.

Do not move cows faster than a comfortable walk while on the way to place of milking or feeding.

Observe and enforce the utmost cleanliness about the cattle, their attendants, the stable, the dairy, and all utensils.—G. H. Sammis, in Epitomist.

Coffee from Soja Beans.

A new industry has sprung up round Meherrin, Va., says the Times-Dispatch, in the past two years among the German settlers in the shape of cultivating soja beans, to be used in the place of coffee. Up to a few years ago this bean was unknown in that section, and since it has been substituted for coffee its cultivation has largely increased. It is an easy crop to grow, and grows several times as tall as the common pea. It is claimed by those who have tried raising them that they are unsurpassed for feed. The German says he had much rather have them to make his coffee than the old Rio grain. And as a result the coffee trade among this class has somewhat decreased.

Minnesota Man's Discovery.

Adrian, Minn., June 1st.—Philip Doyle, of this place, says he has found out a medicine that will cure any case of Kidney Trouble. As Mr. Doyle was himself very sick for a long time with this painful disease, and is now, apparently, as well as ever, his statement carries the confirmation of personal experience.

The remedy that cured Mr. Doyle is called Dodd's Kidney Pills.

In speaking of the pills, Mr. Doyle says:

"In regard to Dodd's Kidney Pills, they are certainly a wonderful medicine—the best that I have ever taken.

"I was very bad for a long time with Kidney Trouble and could get nothing to help me till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I used altogether about ten boxes, and I can say emphatically that I am completely cured. I am entirely well, without a symptom of Kidney Trouble left.

"I can heartily recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to anyone who is suffering with Kidney Trouble, for they made me all right.

"I have advised several of my friends to try them, and not one has been disappointed."

Miss Passay (coyly)—"And just think! Last evening he suddenly caught me in his arms and kissed me." Miss Pepprey—"He always was a good hearted fellow—and so unselfish."—Philadelphia Press.

Old Railroad Ticket Is Now a Curiosity.

Mrs. Laura E. Howey, librarian of the State Historical society, of Montana has received from C. E. Reese, of Virginia City, one of the tickets used in the early '60s on the stage lines of Montana. It is from Virginia City to New York, issued by the Wells Fargo company, the fare at that time being $180. The ticket is composed of eight coupons.

The first is by stage, supposedly to Salt Lake, there being left a blank space to be filled in. From there it is over the Union Pacific railroad to Omaha, by omnibus to Council Bluffs and from there to Chicago over the Chicago & North-Western Railway.

From Chicago the ticket is over the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago to Pittsburg and from Pittsburg to Harrisburg over the Pennsylvania Central. From the latter place to New York the ticket calls for passage over the Allentown line to New York.

The fool sits down and waits for extraordinary opportunities to come his way, but the wise man grasps common chances and proceeds to make them great.—Chicago Daily News.

The Selection of a Range.

With so many ranges on the market, the housekeeper finds it difficult to make a selection. The Majestic is undoubtedly the best; it is made of steel and malleable iron and every part is of superior workmanship. It bakes quicker and more evenly than other ranges and requires less fuel.

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"Some folks," said Uncle Eben, "is busy because dey hab a heap o' work to do an' some because dey wants to git away an' go fishin'."—Washington Star.

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The gourmet's rule: "Never put off till to-morrow what you can eat to-day."—Yonkers Statesman.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

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People who accomplish most make the least noise.—Chicago Daily News.

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The relation of woman's nerves and generative organs is very close; consequently nine tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous despondency, "the blues," sleeplessness, and nervous irritability of women arise from some derangement of the organism which makes her a woman. Herein we prove conclusively that **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** will quickly relieve all this trouble.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: — I have been ailing from female trouble for the past five years. About a month ago I was taken with nervous prostration, accompanied at certain times before menstruation with fearful headaches. I read one of your books, and finding many testimonials of the beneficial effects of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** experienced by lady sufferers, I commenced its use and am happy to state that after using a few bottles I feel like a new woman, aches and pains all gone.

"I am recommending your medicine to many of my friends, and I assure you that you have my hearty thanks for your valuable preparation which has done so much good. I trust all suffering women will use your Vegetable Compound."—MRS. MINNIE TIETZ, 620 First Ave., Eau Claire, Wis. (May 28, 1901).

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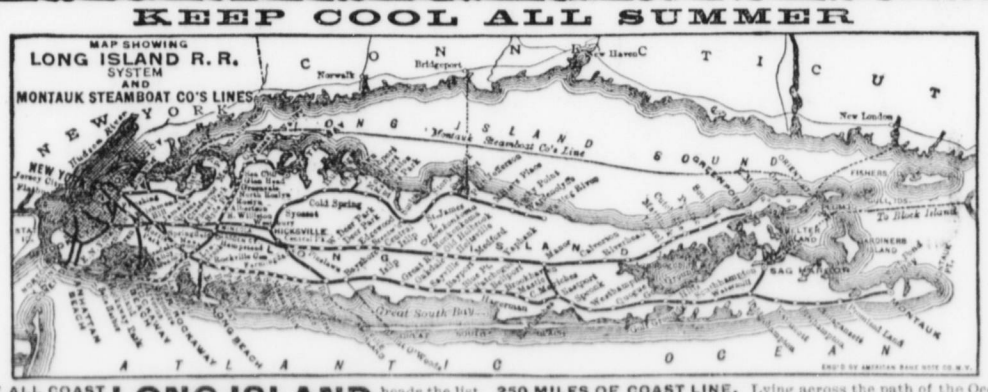

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Rossini's Memory.

The composer of "Il Barbiere di Siviglia" was blessed with a not very retentive memory, especially for names of persons introduced to him, a forgetfulness which was frequently the cause of much merriment whenever Rossini was among company. One day he met Bishop, the English composer. Rossini knew the face well enough and at once greeted him. "Ah, my dear Mr. ——," but he could progress no further. To convince him that he had not forgotten him Rossini commenced whistling Bishop's glee, "When the Wind Blows," a compliment which "the English Mozart" recognized and would as readily have heard as his less musical surname.

Optical Illusion.

A firm which was sued in an English court for the price of a sign defended the case on the ground that the "o" in their name was smaller than the other letters. It was proved by measurement, however, that it was a sixteenth of an inch larger, allowance having been made for the fact that, owing to an optical illusion, the letter "o" always looks smaller than the neighboring letters. Judgment was given for the signmakers.

But They Use Them.

The danger of carrying an argument to its logical conclusion is thus set forth by the Chicago Post: They were at a picnic. "Fingers were made before forks," she laughed as she helped herself in democratic fashion. "Yes," he admitted, "and people were made before clothes." She hastily reached for a fork.

Hoped He Might Improve.

Husband (vituperatively)—I was an idiot when I married you, Mary.

Wife (quietly)—Yes, Tom, I knew you were. But what could I do? You seemed my only chance, and I thought then that you might improve a little with time.—Washington Times.

His Jubilee.

Judge—Are you aware of any mitigating circumstances in your case?

Criminal—Yes, your honor; this is the fiftieth time I have been arrested for vagrancy, and I thought that perhaps we might get up a little jubilee.

Brevity.

Irate Author—What did you do with that article of mine on the American forests?

Editor—Well, sir, to make a long story short, I cut it down.—Baltimore American.

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NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of SUSAN SPANGLER, late of Shippen township, Cameron county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all claims are payable and demands made.

CHARLES M. SPANGLER, Executor.
Emporium, Pa., June 8th, 1903.—16-4t.

Register's Notice.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } SS:
COUNTY OF CAMERON, }

NOTICE is hereby given that B. W. Green, Esq., Executor of the last will and testament of D. S. McDonald, late of the Borough of Emporium, deceased, has filed his third partial account of his administration of the said estate and the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court at July term, next, for confirmation *ni st.*

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